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Esquimalt (night)	E 3113	G 3540
Oak Bay	E 3321	G 3311
Saanich	G 2323	G 4168
Provincial Police (night)		E 1110

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AUSTRALIA GUARDING EAST COAST FEARING SURPRISE INVASION

Action Taken Following Appearance of Unidentified Scouting Planes Over Townsville—Enemy Reported to Be Landing Fresh Troops on New Guinea and New Britain

UNITED NATIONS HEADQUARTERS, Australia, May 2 (AP).—The entire region of Townsville, far north on Australia's East Coast, was put on guard against a surprise invasion or air assault today as the result of the first appearance of mysterious scouting planes over that area and numerous signs that the Japanese are preparing new blows in the Australian theatre.

The flight of two suspect planes over Townsville at 30,000 feet altitude in good observation weather on Friday was reported by General Douglas MacArthur's headquarters.

Allied anti-aircraft batteries opened fire and interceptor planes took the air, but were unable to overhaul the strangers.

BLAMEY SUSPICIOUS

This first appearance of presumably hostile planes in the Townsville area followed a warning Friday by General Sir Thomas Blamey, Australian chief of Allied land forces in Australia, that "increased enemy activity means he (the Jap) has some further plan," and reports that a considerable Japanese naval force is concentrated around Jaluit in the Marshall Islands, northeast of New Guinea.

Transports and supply ships also

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TORNADOES HIT IN TWO STATES

Twenty-One Persons Are Killed in Oklahoma and Eleven in Illinois

PAWHUSKA, Okla., May 2 (AP).—Savage Spring tornadoes battered communities and rural areas in many sections of Northeast Oklahoma and Eastern Kansas today, leaving twenty-one persons dead or missing, injuring scores of others and causing heavy property damage.

One twister swept a twelve-square block area of the Lynn addition on the southeast edge of Pawhuska, leaving three known dead and from fifty to seventy-five injured.

Ten persons—nine of them negroes—were killed and upwards of forty injured by a tornado at Childsville, near Okemah.

Pawhuska is about 100 miles northwest of Pryor, Eastern Oklahome boom town, where a tornado Monday caused sixty-one deaths and injuries to several hundred persons.

STORM IN ILLINOIS

SPRINGFIELD Ill., May 2 (AP).—Tornadic winds cut across three Central Illinois counties late today, injuring at least eleven persons and causing property damage estimated upwards of $200,000.

Principal damage was caused at Franklin, a farming community in Morgan County, where the winds apparently struck first before twisting on across Sangamon and Logan Counties, by-passing Springfield by only a few miles.

At least fifty homes were damaged at Franklin and a locomotive and five cars of a Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad freight train, were toppled from a siding where they had been standing.

Germans Die In Wreck of French Train

NEW YORK, May 2 (AP).—Between forty and fifty Germans have been killed in another train wreck in occupied France, reliable reports reaching New York said tonight.

German authorities immediately made sharp reprisals and arrested a large number of hostages, according to these reports. The wreck, it was reported, occurred near Rouen, the scene of a wreck only a week ago.

EVATT ARRIVES IN LONDON

LONDON, May 2 (CP).—H. V. Evatt, Australian Minister of External Affairs and Attorney-General, arrived tonight at a British airport from the United States where he had been on a special mission.

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KING VISITS BOMBED BATH

Their Majesties Survey Wreckage of Historic Town —Greeted With Cheers

BATH, May 2 (CP).—Climbing over heaps of rubble, the King and Queen made a pilgrimage of mercy today such as they have been spared for months during the German air force's raiding lull.

Their Majesties paid a surprise visit to bombed Bath, one of the historic towns hit in Goering's "guidebook blitz."

"We were anxious to come and see how you are all getting on," said the King to one grey-haired woman.

"It's terrible," said the Queen as they stood on a hillside surveying the wreckage which hundreds of troops were working to clear.

The Royal route through the charred ruins had to be changed once because of the danger from falling masonry.

TALK WITH MOTHERS

Their Majesties talked with many residents, including mothers with children in their arms, who gathered to cheer when news of the visit spread. After hearing of the work of special constables, the King and Queen shook hands with half a dozen of them, and the Queen said: "It makes us very proud of you."

Their Majesties told Mayor A. Bateman that they were impressed with the spirit of the people, and the Queen gave him three parcels containing blankets and other comforts for bomb victims.

FLEE HOMES AS FIRE THREATENS

Rhode Island Forest Blaze Sweeps Down on Settlement, Forcing Families to Leave

COVENTRY, R.I., May 2 (AP).—Twenty-two families were ordered to evacuate their homes today as a forest fire, roaring along on a mile-wide front, swept down on a settlement of fifty buildings at Rice City.

The fire was a new outbreak of a blaze which has raged through this wooded Western Rhode Island countryside for the past three days. It came only a few hours after firemen believed they had controlled the blaze which leveled fourteen farm houses and destroyed 1,500,000 feet of Government-stored lumber.

Fanned by a brisk wind, the new fire covered an area of about two square miles, and sent clouds of heavy smoke spiraling into the air.

ACTION OVER ICELAND

REYKJAVIK, Iceland, May 3 (Sunday) (AP).—In the first air fight over the Iceland area, a Norwegian plane attacked a German long-range bomber and scored a hit before the enemy plane escaped, United States army authorities disclosed today.

After Nazi "Culture" Raid on Bath

Air-raid precautions and other volunteer workers are shown searching among the ruins of bombed buildings for casualties in the famous resort city of Bath, which was savagely bombed by German warplanes in reprisal for the Royal Air Force offensive against German objectives. The city was a refugee and evacuee centre, and it is feared that the loss of life is heavy.

Japanese Claim Mandalay Taken; British Retreat

Allies Have Not Acknowledged Loss of City—Defenders Being Withdrawn From North of Irrawaddy—Road and Rail Bridges Are Destroyed to Hamper Invaders

LONDON, May 2 (AP).—Mandalay, the pagoda-crowned city made famous by Kipling's poem, was claimed today by the invading Japanese Army, which apparently was driving ever wider wedges between the British and Chinese defenders of the fragment of Burma which remains in Allied hands.

Lashio, the terminus of the famous Burma Road to China 135 miles northeast of Mandalay, was captured from the Chinese on Wednesday in a push which now has carried the invaders north of Hsenwi, only forty-five miles from the border of China.

A Chungking communique said the Japanese had been repulsed with heavy casualties at an undisclosed point north of Hsenwi.

TOKIO CLAIMS CAPTURE

Today Imperial headquarters in Tokio, in one of its rare communiques on the long months of bitter battle in Burma, claimed that Mandalay was taken from the British yesterday and that the occupying forces had destroyed all the city's vital military establishments.

While the Allies did not acknowledge the loss, informed quarters said the metropolis of Upper Burma probably soon would fall if it had not already done so.

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GERMANS WANT GIRAUD RETURN

French General Supposed to Be at Vichy—Nazis Are Exerting Pressure

NEW YORK, May 2 (AP).—General Henri Honore Giraud, the elusive French officer whom Germany captured but couldn't hold in two wars, was reported in custody near Vichy tonight, the centre of an argument between Vichy and the Germans over his return to the Nazis after his latest spectacular escape from Koenigstein fortress.

First reports from highly reliable European informants said he actually had been handed over to the Germans during the day but later he was returned to detention near Vichy with his future in considerable doubt.

OFFERED REWARD

The Germans, who offered a 100,000-mark reward for his capture before he made his way to unoccupied France by way of Switzerland, were said to be exerting considerable pressure in discussions under way at Vichy to regain their former captive.

The sixty-three-year-old general escaped from the German prison camp of Koenigstein late last month, and made his way to the capital of unoccupied France by way of Switzerland.

Well-posted European sources said they believed Giraud had met with important military and political personages at a point outside of Vichy, that discussions regarding his return to German custody had struck a snag and that he was brought back indefinitely to the point outside Vichy.

GERMANS STILL ON DEFENSIVE

Hitler's Armies Unable to Counter—Russians Are Pushing Forward

LONDON, May 2 (AP).—Red Army tanks, smashing forward on firming ground against a Nazi army which has not yet been able to get an offensive under way, are driving deeper wedges between the German "hedgehog" positions of Bryansk, Orel and Kursk, dispatches from Stockholm said today.

Bryansk, 210 miles southwest of Moscow, and Orel and Kursk, 200 and 280 miles south of the capital, respectively, form a triangle guarding the flank of the Germans' Ukraine front, and the dispatches said the fighting in those sectors had been particularly fierce in the last few days.

Some of the Russian troops, penetrating between Orel and Kursk, recaptured a number of strong points about Fatesh, thirty miles northwest of Kursk.

IN GOOD POSITION

The Russians also struck heavy blows at the Germans southwest of Kharkov in an effort to forestall any German offensive toward the Caucasus. Fighting was progressing along a line from Poltava to Dniepropetrovsk, and in their present positions the Russians were in an ideal spot from which to flank any German attempt to use Kharkov for a springboard for a southern drive.

Guerrillas, continuing to soften up the German positions in front of the Red regulars, were reported in a Moscow broadcast to have killed 5,000 Germans and recaptured 345 villages northwest of Orel in an unspecified time.

The Soviet Information Bureau said the Soviet forces on the northern front at Leningrad were killing Germans at a rate of 1,000 day.

LOG EXPORT IS STUDIED

Province Examines Conditions Under Which Export Permits Granted

Clarification of the issue wherein Provincial authority under the Timber Export Board has been set aside by the Federal timber controller, A. C. Nicholson, was anticipated in the Provincial circles yesterday, though official comment on the matter was restrained. Continued export of Western hemlock in the raw state in volume would seriously affect British Columbia pulp operations, Hon. A. W. Gray intimated.

Giving the Provincial view of the case, Mr. Gray said that the Timber Export Board, and himself, as Provincial Minister of Lands, had refused export permits for the shipment of hemlock logs to United States mills on several occasions, in view of the domestic demand for pulpwood.

PERMITS REFUSED

In one instance, permit for the exportation of 1,500,000 board feet of logs had been asked by interests believed by the Province to coincide in part with Japanese holdings on the Coast. Independently, one of the largest logging operations in the province had applied later for leave to export 10,000,000 board feet of logs. Both permits had been refused by the Province, on different grounds.

Word that exportation was now to be permitted in some instances, under the direct order of the Federal timber controller, was being examined by the Province with some interest. Mr. Gray, though declining to express comment on the recent development, reiterated that log supplies were on the short side, and that if much export were permitted British Columbia pulp mills would suffer. One large pulp mill on the Coast had already informed him it might have to close, he said.

FEAR FISHERMEN LOST WITH BOATS

Concern Felt for 280 Men in Ninety-Three Smacks Missing Off Barbadoes Since Wednesday

BRIDGETOWN, Barbados, May 2 (CP).—Officials here expressed grave concern today for the safety of some 280 fishermen aboard ninety-three fishing smacks missing on the flying fish banks since last Wednesday. Only five of 120 craft which set out Wednesday returned here that night after squalls swept the banks.

Cables received here last night reported sixteen others made port at St. Vincent and six at St. Lucia. Government boats and planes have been scouring the surrounding seas for signs of the missing boats.

The skipper of one of the boats which returned here said the fleet encountered squally weather on the banks just before noon Wednesday. He said he bucked a south wind and finally made port with great difficulty, partly due to the fact the island was blacked out after 11 p.m.

ON C.B.C. BOARD

OTTAWA, May 2 (CP).—Edwin H. Charleson, Ottawa barrister, has been named to the board of governors of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation, War Services Minister Thorson announced today.

His appointment brings the board to full strength, and is for a three-year term dating from November 2, 1940, filling a vacancy left by resignation of the late Alan B. Plaunt, of Ottawa, accepted by the Government on October 3, 1940.

Former Governor Of Alaska Dead

JUNEAU, Alaska, May 2 (AP).—John Weir Troy, seventy-two-year-old former Governor of Alaska, died this afternoon at a hospital after a year's illness.

Troy was a former collector of customs and at his death was the owner of The Juneau Empire, Juneau's oldest daily newspaper.

Americans Are Now In Libyan Desert to Support Allied Army

Commander of United States Mission Announces Service Force to Aid Combat Units—American Planes in Action Over Malta

CAIRO, May 2 (AP).—United States service troops in steadily increasing numbers are in positions supporting the main British desert army and air forces ranged against the threatening German Afrika Korps of Marshal Erwin Rommel.

Maj.-General Russell L. Maxwell, commander of the fourth African mission, permitted disclosure of their presence from here for the first time today, although American uniforms and huge trucks bearing the "U.S.A." letters have been seen in growing strength for several weeks.

One officer of the United States mission is Major Elliott Roosevelt, son of the President, who started his military career as a captain in Ohio less than two years ago.

SERVICE PERSONNEL

General Maxwell emphasized that the soldiers stationed in this torrid area, barring the Axis from conquest of Egypt and the Suez Canal, were entirely service personnel — mechanics and fighting men.

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GERMAN DESTROYER CRIPPLED DURING R.A.F. COASTAL RAIDS

From Europe Day by Day—

THE TIMES, London

News and Comment on International Events selected from The Times daily and published in The Daily Colonist by special arrangement with The Vancouver Daily Province.

Nazi Warship Off Norwegian Coast Hit by Two Bombs—Bad Weather Prevents Mass Assaults Over Germany But Airdromes in Northern France Are Blasted During Night

Photographs Show Great Damage Done at Augsburg

LONDON, May 2 (AP).—British bombers crippled a swift Nazi destroyer off the Norwegian coast and chopped away at enemy airdromes in Northern France overnight, but the weather intervened again to keep the great swarms of R.A.F. and German planes tied to the ground. One Coastal Command plane was missing.

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LONDON, May 2 (By Cable).—The thaw has now broken communication with Leningrad across the ice of Lake Ladoga, where one railway operated all Winter. But Leningrad has been well supplied with arms and food during the Winter and is now a stronger fortress than ever. While it is more fully beleaguered than Sepastopol, pending opening of navigation over the lake when the ice moves out, it is still a gigantic war factor and still able to resist the enemy, who has lost 58,000 men in attacks on it during the last month.

Main fighting for the moment is on the Arctic front and the Germans are trying to bomb Murmansk from bases in Northern Norway. As the Red Air Force has superiority the Nazis are using hit-and-run methods such as they have recently adopted over the coasts of Britain.

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Germany and her allies are hungry, according to messages reaching Turkey, says The Times' Ankara correspondent. German agents are trying to buy up all the foodstuffs they can get in Turkey, which, however, permits only certain limited exports and those only against receipt of industrial products. Turkey is well supplied with wheat from the British Dominions.

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It now appears from evidence reaching the Norwegian Government in London that mass execution of eighteen Norwegians by the Nazis had nothing to do with the killing of German soldiers but was a reprisal in the form of murder of hostages who had been in a concentration camp for months past. All those slaughtered had tried to escape to Britain and had been captured after they had fired on a German patrol ship which challenged them.

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Explaining how it was that the Australian Parliament had decided against no overseas service for Commonwealth Militia Forces, The Times' Canberra correspondent says it was largely a party manœuvre against the Labor Government, and that it came at a most inopportune time, namely, just after the Australian armies had been returned to Australia for home defence.

Premier Curtin says there are more Australian soldiers now available for service overseas than ever before been sent abroad. Army Minister Forde said the Government had don everything for which General MacArthur had asked.

The Australian public is satisfied, adds The Times' correspondent, that the Government will do everything possible to defend Australia, even to the extent of sending troops anywhere it is necessary when the military situation demands it.

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Malta has undoubtedly upset Axis plans for reinforcing Rommel's troops in Libya and enabling him to take a long-planned offensive. At the present rate of air losses over Malta, German attacks can not be maintained indefinitely.

CRASH CAUSE NOT KNOWN

Bodies of Seventeen Victims Of Transport Accident Are Taken to Salt Lake City

SALT LAKE CITY, May 2 (AP).—Army trucks crawled over soggy and rough terrain today to a ridge at the city limits and returned with the broken bodies of seventeen persons killed in a midnight transport crash.

A crew of three and fourteen passengers, one a child, died in the flaming wreckage of the United Air Lines sleeper that struck a storm-lashed ridge within sight of the Salt Lake City airport.

Scars on the hillside showed the giant airliner struck the ground, split open, then bounced and came to rest in a tangled heap as flames flared up in the stormy night.

SPREAD OVER WIDE AREA

Bodies and wreckage were scattered over a wide area. Those near the main wreckage were seared by flaming gasoline.

The cargo of mail was destroyed.

None could explain the accident. The eastbound San Francisco transport had reported visibility good only a few minutes earlier. Witnesses who watched the ill-fated ship cruise preparatory for a landing, said light rain was falling, but visibility was good. Later, a wind-driven sleet storm hampered rescue workers.

The Civil Aeronautics Authority sent Inspector Perry Hodgen from Oakland, Cal., to investigate and called a public hearing "soon." United Airlines officials investigated also, but clues were meager.

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TO TAKE LUXURY OUT OF TRAVELS

Removal of Club, Lounge, Parlor And Sleeping Cars "Imminent" In United States

WASHINGTON, May 2 (AP).—Reduction or elimination of "luxury equipment" on railroads, such as club, lounge, parlor and sleeping cars is "imminent," Joseph B. Eastman, defence transportation director, said today.

Declaring that essential military and civilian travel must not be impeded, Eastman said his office was planning restrictions on passenger travel, elimination of duplication services on competing railroads, lengthening or limiting schedules to include more stops and diversion to more important runs of such branch line equipment as can be made available.

The gasoline and rubber shortage, he explained, has caused a 50 per cent increase in passenger travel on buses and railroads since Pearl Harbor.

ALLIED PLANES PREY ON ENEMY

Hit Japanese Transport; Destroy Six Aircraft—Actions Are Detailed

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, Australia, May 3 (Sunday) (AP).—Allied planes scored a direct hit on a Japanese transport, damaged another, capsized a tender, destroyed six Japanese planes and damaged six more in fierce action over New Britain and New Guinea yesterday, General MacArthur's headquarters announced today.

It was announced further that three Japanese flying boats were destroyed at Salamaua, on the Northeast New Guinea Coast, last Thursday.

ON ALL FRONTS

A communique covering the operations said:

"New Britain: Rabaul—Our bombers attacked shipping at Rabaul, securing a direct hit on one transport, damaging another and capsizing a tender. Eight Japanese fighters intercepted and we destroyed two and damaged four.

"New Guinea: Port Moresby—Fifteen zero-type fighters attacked the airdrome yesterday. Our fighters intercepted successfully, destroying four enemy planes and damaging two others.

"Salamaua — Detailed reports of the Allied raid, April 30, reveal that our attacking planes burned and destroyed three enemy flying boats on the water.

"Solomons: Tulagi — Enemy air raids continue.

"Philippines: Corregidor — No change; Visayans—no change; Mindano—situation static on Parang Cotabato front."

Cabinet Split Over Action to Take on Conscription Issue

Some Ministers Want Immediate Steps Taken in Line With Plebiscite Vote—Others Would Await War Developments

Special to The Colonist

OTTAWA, May 2.—The Dominion Cabinet is "split" on the question of action that should be taken at once on the mandate given in the plebiscite vote to conscript manpower for overseas service.

Some ministers want immediate action, while others would postpone this step until further war developments occur, suggesting that the Government and Parliament might await until Parliament reassembles early in the Fall.

A high official spokesman said tonight that the Government's policy on overseas conscription "calls for well-considered but not hasty action in our opinion." The question was a paramount matter of discussion at several meetings of the Cabinet within the last few days without any decision, tentative or otherwise, being recorded. In the meantime, a caucus of Liberal senators and members has been called for Tuesday, on which date the votes of about 500,000 in the

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OVER DENMARK ON NIGHT AIR RAID

British Warplanes Cross Nazi-Occupied Territory—No Bombs Are Dropped

LONDON, May 3 (Sunday) (AP).—British warplanes swept across German-occupied Denmark last night, drawing sharp anti-aircraft fire and setting off air raid alarms in Copenhagen, the Vichy radio reported today.

There were no reports of bombs being dropped on Danish territory, however, the radio said.

The broadcast reported that telephone communications between Denmark and Sweden had been interrupted—apparently during the time the British planes were overhead.

Let's Talk About

YOUR SUIT

The newly arrived boucle and worsted suits in blues and black will meet every requirement of the lady who wants a smart, dressy ensemble. In pin stripes or plain, we have never seen more beautifully tailored suits than these, and yet the price range is only from $29.75 to $35.00. And when it comes to sports suits in the loveliest English tweeds its hard to find words and impossible to find illustrations to do them justice. Some with front fullness, one to five-button models. Colors ranging from conservative, plain grey to the most exotic pinks, and quite the smartest tailoring we have ever seen. Price range, $19.95 to $35.00.

YOUR BLOUSE

Jerseys, Crepes, Chambrays, Sheers, in plain, printed and striped designs. Dainty, feminine sheers to go with your smartest dressy suit. Lovely colors and prints for informal dances, lace insertions, hand drawn and fine tucking work, waterfalls of lace, prim little starchy numbers. Just everything your fancy can imagine, and prices from $2.98 to $6.95.

YOUR HAT

Those wonderful, stitched English Fur Felt Hats. New shapes, new colors, but the same inimitable, unmistakable quality. Every one of these is the very "Tops" from such famous makers as Christy's, of London. Some of the new colors are Rose, Twilight, Manchu Brown, Lagoon Green, and, of course, black and navy. Price, $7.95, which divided by five years' wear, is real economy.

FOR 30 YEARS SCURRAHS AT 728 YATES

Gallant Defence of Malta Makes Island Thorn in Axis Side

Mediterranean Base, Most Heavily Bombed Spot in World, Has Heaviest Concentration of Anti-Aircraft Guns Known

By PRESTON G. GROVER AND WILLIAM McGAFFIN
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THE most heavily bombed spot in the world, the little British island of Malta in mid-Mediterranean, eight miles wide and seventeen miles long, has been attacked more than 2,000 times. It has the heaviest concentration per area of anti-aircraft guns in the world, on land and on board ship.

From 150 to 200 Axis planes strike at this British carbuncle in Mussolini's sea every twenty-four hours.

The attacks began on the early morning of June 11, 1940, the day after Italy entered the war, just before France surrendered.

Malta was not ready. It had coastal defence, but it had no fighter planes and no properly defended airports. However, there were four Gladiator seaplanes awaiting shipment in a dockyard storehouse.

They were not, even then, the best fighters Britain had, and they were designed for aircraft carriers. There were also at Malta four seaplane pilots. They had never flown fighter planes, but they took on the defence of Malta.

MET WAVE AFTER WAVE

The four met wave after wave of bombers. They fought all day. They came down only to refuel, repair and take on ammunition.

Many thought Malta could not be held. But the performance of the four Gladiators changed that. One Gladiator was shot down, but the remaining three fought on for three months, sometimes grappling with forces ten times their number. The Maltese called them "Faith, Hope and Charity." Now, two years later, Malta has great numbers of Hurricanes and Spitfires, long-range bombers and terrific ground defences.

German pilots, compelled to bail out over the island, reported the ack-ack barrage "paralyzing." "When we took off," said one captured German pilot, "we had no idea what we were getting into."

Veterans of both battles, Malta and Britain, tell you Malta is worse than Britain ever was because the fighting is over a much smaller area. It is almost impossible to make a forced landing on the island—and the Jerry patrol is on constant watch to strafe any launch trying to rescue pilots down in the sea.

BIBLE AND SWORD

The Governor of this island is "a man with a Bible in one hand and a sword in the other."

General Sir William George Shedden Dobbie, sixty-three, is so pious he hates to fight on Sunday, but he has to. He is a big, lumbering man with a full English face, pink cheeks, white hair and moustache. He regards this war as a crusade.

His troops call him "Old Dob Dob." Otherwise he is referred to as "H. E." or "His Excellency." Only his wife calls him "Will."

Sir William was born in Madras, India. As an officer in the Royal Engineers he fought through the Boer War, the "Irish trouble" and the first Great War. He literally ended the last war, for it was he who wrote and signed the order for the Armistice as a member of Earl Haig's staff.

In the beginning, some Britons were skeptical about the complete loyalty of segments of the Maltese population. Italy had conducted vigorous propaganda in Malta for several years.

PRO-ITALIANS DISAPPEAR

However, the first Italian bomb which fell on Malta so enraged the Islanders that pro-Italian sentiment either died completely or was afraid to show its head.

Malta is almost one solid village. There are 10,000 farms on ninety-five square miles. Of important assistance to the people in withstanding the non-stop blitz is the marvelous system of shelters, called by experts the world's best. Hewn out of natural rock, there now are shelters for the bulk of Malta's 270,000 people.

Most shelters have three-decker bunks and sanitary facilities.

Some people are living permanently in the shelters. Others go to them only at night, lining up outside with blankets and waiting, as Londoners used to do, until the siren sounds the evening warning.

Bringing food to this congested, bomb-ridden population is the primary problem. Nearly every ship carries food, not only for the people but for the animals.

Malta's buildings, like the shelters, are made of rock. There is almost no wooden construction. Thus, there is no danger of fire from bomb raids burning a great hole as in the City of London. The enemy's only recourse is to drop high explosives, and the thick tough walls of Malta will stand a lot of pounding.

MANY HOMES DESTROYED

In the last twenty-one months, 4,200 homes have been knocked down. But in only a few places do you see damage comparable to London's devastated areas. At night Malta is severely blacked out—except for the terrible, awe-inspiring light of cannonading and giant searchlights.

Many children stay on the street during the semi-alert, signaled by a yellow flag which is run up when planes are some distance away. A red flag is run up when the raiders are ready to attack.

Maltese children have become quite used to the procedure.

"Mama, bombs!" they shout into the house—and mama leaves off cooking dinner to take the children to the shelter.

Often the children sit at the shelter mouth and watch for the red flag to be lowered. "Bombers gone," they tell mama—and she hurries home to finish cooking.

CRASH CAUSE IS NOT KNOWN

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The pilot, Captain Donn W. Brown, of San Francisco, had flown some 650,000 miles since joining U.A.L. nine years ago and was ranked highly by his employers.

Guards watched throughout the night to keep curious away while officials discussed plans to salvage as much metal as possible.

Fate played a grim joke on the child, J. A. Lloyd, 3rd, ten-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Lloyd, Jr., of Burlingame, Cal., Mrs. Lloyd, en route to Grosse Point, Mich., to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Lowery, decided to take the plane because the trip would be easier on the baby.

Two other victims, Commander John G. Burrow, U.S.N., and Lieutenant Claire Tucker, U.S.N., were en route to Washington after inspecting a possible site for a cadet training station at Reno, Nev.

George Gearhart, watchman at an inn on the highway about a mile below the site and first to reach the scene, said one man lived for a few minutes.

Gearhart said he watched the plane circle and glide along the ridge, apparently headed for the airport. Air lines officials said visibility was good. Gearhart said a light rain was falling, but the clouds were high and he could see the plane's wing lights.

Gearhart estimated it took him twenty-five minutes to reach the scene. He found one man alive and tried to talk to him.

"I think the man knew I was there but he couldn't talk. He opened his eyes. He was groaning and waving his arms. I found some blankets near the wreckage and covered him up. I looked around to see if anyone else was alive."

Finding none, Gearhart returned to the inn and called officers.

The air line's last passenger fatality was December 4, 1940. Since then the line has flown between 400,000,000 and 500,000,000 miles without accident and last year had a perfect record and received the safety award for major air lines.

JAPANESE CLAIM MANDALAY TAKEN

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A British communique from New Delhi, India, made the plight of the Allies gloomily evident.

It said all British troops on the Mandalay front were being withdrawn "from a position north of the Irrawaddy." Mandalay is on the south bank of the river, which flows west at that point.

The British also announced defensive destruction of road and rail bridges across the tributary Myitnge River and that two spans of the famous Ava Bridge had been demolished.

Fighting was in progress in and around Monywa, across the Irrawaddy some fifty miles west of Mandalay, indicating that the British withdrawal may have progressed that far in the face of the breath-taking Japanese thrusts.

The British said nothing of their forces which were presumed to have been stationed east of Mandalay, and it was not known whether they had been cut off.

JAPAN REFUSES TO CO-OPERATE

Tokio Unwilling to Assist in Getting Aid to Prisoners In Far East

LONDON, May 2 (CP).—Lack of co-operation by Japan is holding up action to aid British prisoners and interned citizens in the Far East, it was stated here officially today.

A leaflet describing British Government measures to help those in prison camps said that, although Japan gave assurance it would be willing to transmit information, only twelve names had been received, all of personnel who died of illness at Hongkong.

Efforts to obtain further lists are still being made, it was said.

WOULD NOT CONSENT

The leaflet said plans had been made to establish a Far East prisoners, air supply service so food and clothing could be sent, but all action was held up because the Japanese had not given consent. Funds are being sent to missionaries at Hongkong and Singapore who distribute supplies.

Efforts to establish postal arrangements with the Far East have been so far unsuccessful and the leaflet said: "In the absence of a Japanese agreement it would be useless to dispatch to prisoners of war mail from this country."

AUSTRALIA GUARDS HER EAST COAST

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have been reported landing new forces in the New Guinea and New Britain areas in recent days.

Townsville, 700 miles below the northern tip of Cape York, might well be the first objective if the purpose of such enemy concentrations is to strike at Australia's populous east coast instead of attempting a laborious and time-consuming campaign across the arid western or northern regions.

COASTAL RAILWAY

The small city of Townsville is behind the Great Barrier reef, but if the Japanese safely penetrated the mined off-shore waters and made a landing they would find themselves on the coastal railway which reaches southward 800 miles to Brisbane and 1,200 miles to Sydney. Small lines also extend inland behind the great dividing range, opening the possibilities of flanking attacks against the eastern defences.

The fact that anti-aircraft guns opened fire on the scouting planes was taken as evidence that the Allied Command is aware of the importance of the area. Strong air forces also are believed based near Townsville.

Indications that the recent Japanese reinforcements in the New Guinea-New Britain area may have been large was seen Saturday in the warning of the Port Moresby correspondent of The Melbourne Herald that American and Australian airmen at that base were up against heavy odds.

MORE PLANES NEEDED

More planes, bombs and men are urgently needed if Port Moresby is to be held, he said. Port Moresby has been the springboard of the almost daily attacks on Japanese bases at Lae, Salamaua, Rabaul and Gasmata.

The latest of these attacks on Gasmata on the south coast of New Britain, resulted in considerable damage to airdrome installations on Friday.

In the only air action reported Saturday, Allied flyers shot down a Japanese plane when a formation of five attempted an attack on Port Moresby. An Allied reconnaissance plane also shot down a Japanese fighter and probably damaged another when it was attacked by seven of the enemy.

COST OF ATTACKS

There was no official explanation of The Melbourne Herald correspondent's statement on the situation at Port Moresby. An analysis of headquarters communiques showed that thirty-seven Japanese planes were claimed destroyed, and thirty damaged in attacks on Japanese bases.

On the other hand, the communiques never described Allied losses as more than slight or negligible in the twelve Japanese attacks on Allied bases. The Japanese were said to have lost twenty-nine of the 127 planes with which these attacks were made, plus an unannounced number of escorting fighters.

Port Moresby, however, was the object of seven of the twelve attacks. The attacks on Darwin cost the Japanese eleven bombers and seven fighters.

Allied airmen, making eleven attacks on eight Japanese bases, stretching more than 2,000 miles from Timor to the Solomon Islands, concentrated four of their blows on Lae in New Guinea.

SURPRISE ASSAULT

Dispatches to Sydney, giving details of Thursday's attack on Lae when thirty Japanese planes were destroyed, said two Allied bombers, swooping down at tree-top level just after dawn, found rows of bomb-laden Japanese planes warming up.

The Japanese planes were quickly turned into piles of twisted and burning wreckage by the explosions of their own bombs as the raiding flyers emptied their racks and then turned and raked the airports with cannon and machine guns.

With bits of the exploded Japanese planes popping into the air about them, the Allied flyers climbed into a cloudbank and evaded four navy Zero fighters which tried to overtake them.

AMERICAN TROOPS IN LIBYAN DESERT

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chanics, technical experts, supply specialists and trainers.

Their job is to support combat troops of the British, Indians, South Africans, Free French and New Zealanders poised in the desert front eighty miles west of Tobruk in Mussolini's colony of Libya.

(The first definite disclosure of the presence of United States troops in the Mediterranean basin was made by President Roosevelt in his world-wide fireside chat Tuesday. He said American warships were in the Mediterranean and United States troops were in the "Near East, the Middle East and the Far East.")

(The Germans claimed earlier this week that United States pilots were stiffening the defence of much-bombed Malta, eighty miles below Italian Sicily.)

AMERICAN PLANES

Swarms of American-made fighter planes and bombers are fighting daily in the Battle of Libya, and most of the British pilots have been trained in a technical school in Egypt.

General Maxwell said the school was turned over to the R.A.F. this week and added that American technicians had been necessary so the Allies would "get the most out of our equipment."

Construction of the great United States-built arsenal in Eritrea, on the Red Sea, is "well under way," General Maxwell said. He added that it was hoped operations would start there before long.

On the desert battlefront today, British patrols "had occasional brushes with enemy patrols," a communique said. Aircraft harassed the enemy far behind the front lines bombing trucks, gasoline trailers and Axis columns between Agedabia and Bengasi, at the western extremity of the Libyan hump. Bombers raided Bengasi, an Axis supply post, Berka and Nartuba, and none of the R.A.F. planes were lost.

Raids on Malta slackened, and three German planes were downed Friday morning.

Premier Sees Commandos

Prime Minister Churchill examines one of the knives carried by the commandos during a recent inspection of one of these bodies of men who are creating terror amongst the Nazis with their night raids on enemy-occupied territory.

Escaped Nazi War Prisoner Held in Texas

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., May 2 (AP).—Lieut. Hans Krug, twenty-two-year-old Nazi bomber pilot who escaped from a Canadian prisoner-of-war camp sixteen days ago, was captured here last night.

He was arrested by two Federal Bureau of Investigation agents and two city detectives in a small hotel where he had been spotted by the manager whose name was withheld.

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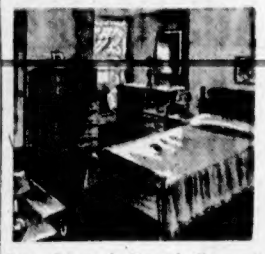

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Canadian Troops Receive Training With Royal Navy

Special Infantry Forces Take Part in Combined Assault Exercises—Only Hardiest Soldiers Able to Pass Rigorous Tests Under Most Difficult Conditions

By ROSS MUNRO
Canadian Press War Correspondent

SOMEWHERE IN ENGLAND, May 2.—Special forces of Canadian infantry have been training at sea with the Royal Navy on combined operations and coastal raiding as the Canadian Army steps up assault training of every battalion with the ultimate objective of striking somewhere in Europe.

In the last few weeks I went to sea with one of these infantry Commando units.

This training is making the entire army think offensively of operations across the North Sea or the English Channel. The troops are training and planning harder than ever before for action which might be launched anywhere from Narvik to the Spanish border.

With the R.A.F. giving Continental targets a non-stop pounding, and with talk of a second front heard from Whitehall to country pubs, the Canadians are preparing for anything from reconnaissance raids to all-out attack.

SHOCK-TROOP TRAINING

This shock-troop training has been built up secretly for months to a climax of work with the navy by Commando-like forces. Raiding schools have been established following battle drill instruction throughout the army. Hundreds of officers and men have been going from these schools to instruct their battalions in assault.

The goal is to make every infantry unit as hard and as skilled as Commandos so they can stage coastal assaults and push on into enemy territory. Maps, photographs and relief models of the European coast are being studied.

Close contact is kept with Lord Louis Mountbatten's combined operations headquarters, and the Canadian detachments doing advanced training went to sea aboard combined operations ships which have carried British Commando raiders. They were the first Canadian army units to train with the Royal Navy.

The force I was with was commanded by Major Brian McCool of the Royal Regiment of Canada from Toronto and was composed of hand-picked volunteers from a number of infantry regiments.

ONLY HARDIEST PASS

Test training at a secret camp preceded the workout with the navy and during this period the "softer" would-be Commandos were weeded out. Only the hardiest made the grade. British Commandos helped the Canadians in this preliminary training.

Finally the force was cut down to the right size and spirited away to a port where we boarded a combined operations ship and put to sea.

After cruising around for a considerable time we anchored off a rugged coast somehere in the British Isles and training really began.

Day and night the Canadians made raids on different parts of the isolated coast, staging assault landings, storming over beaches and raiding far inland across heart-breaking country.

The troops were soaking wet most of the time as they plunged out of the landing craft to the beaches. There was scarcely any sleep for anyone but none complained. The ordinary army beefing was noticeably absent, for this was the newest and most advanced training any Canadian troops have done.

WORK LIKE DEMONS

The men slept in hammocks when they did sleep and ate whacking big meals, including butter—a scarce commodity in civilian life—and steaming plates of beans. Big slugs of rum were handed out. They worked like demons.

The Canadians, who called themselves "The Vikings," were outfitted superbly like the British Commandos. They wore rope-soled shoes for silent movement and carried gleaming fighting knives for close combat, tommy guns, pistols, rifles, plenty of Bren guns and heaping boxes of ammunition, hand grenades and explosives.

They were the wildest and keenest force I have ever been with in the Canadian army. They had scarcely settled themselves aboard a ship which had carried Commandos to St. Nazaire on the French Channel coast before they were firing their weapons off the deck.

The troops learned the drill of getting into landing craft from the combined operations ships in darkness and daylight. A cheerful crew of young British tars taught them the tricks needed for these raiding boats and after twenty-four hours the Canadians were stepping around as though they had served for years before the mast.

"We just want to train so hard that what's tough for the real Commandos will be duck soup for us," said a soldier in a dirty woolen skull cap.

COMBINED PLANNING

The army and navy officers planned everything together, and the idea of combined operations was followed fully. Lt.-Cmdr. K. S. MacLachlan, of Westmount, Que., former deputy navy minister for Canada and now attached to Lord Louis' staff, was with the force. He followed the training and gave the Canadians high praise for the way they co-operated with the navy and carried out their mock raids.

The training schedule was jammed with activity. After preliminary landings gave the Canadians the feel of the landing craft, raid after raid was planned and carried out.

A detachment of the Essex Scottish of Windsor, Ont., teamed up with a group of the Royal Hamilton Light Infantry to lead one of the first large-scale assaults. Capt. Jack Anderson of Toronto's Royal Regiment and Capt. Walt McGregor of the Essex Scottish officered this force. Lieut. Ross Calder of the Winnipeg Cameron Highlanders led a detachment which included some of the Montreal Black Watch and South Saskatchewan soldiers commanded by Lieut. Roger Stevens, of Oxbow, Sask.

UNDER SMOKE SCREENS

A group made up of men from the Winnipeg Camerons, the Fusiliers Mont Royal and the Regiment de Maisonneuve headed other raids made under billowing smoke screens. Lieut. Jim Mulholland, of Winnipeg; Lieut. Bill Scott, of Windsor, Ont., and Lieut. Henry Leith, of Montreal, were the officers commanding these troops.

Landings were followed by long treks across country which would harass a mountain goat. The Canadians had only compasses and the stars to guide them in the inky dark, but there was not a man lost during the whole training period. The only casualty was a soldier who fractured an ankle in a fall.

Ten to fifteen miles were covered each night over mountains and swamps, up the faces of cliffs, over peat bogs and through tangled forests.

I went through the training with the force and the toughest attack I was on was staged by a section of Calgary Highlanders and Royal Regiment men commanded by Lieut. Bobby (Elmer) Cross of Watrous, Sask. Lieut. Bill McQueen, of Medicine Hat, Alta., was the other officer with the section.

It was a midnight raid against two inland objectives and after twelve miles of rapid, stealthy movement the Calgary-Royal section ran three miles at top speed to the re-embarkation beach, where the navy picked us up again.

Major Bert Sucharov was engineer-in-charge of a demolition crew. He was called the "Mad Major" by the navy because he carried three guns, kept a cabin that looked like a section of Woolwich Arsenal and tried to catch fish by tossing explosives into the sea.

Second in command was Capt. Norman Young, of Winnipeg. Capt. Jack Sturdy, of Calgary and Vancouver, medical officer, was a member of the headquarters staff.

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DENTISTS CLOSE SESSIONS HERE

Morning Clinics Feature Last Meetings of B.C. Dental Association

One hundred and fifty delegates to the annual convention of the British Columbia Dental Association closed their sessions in the Empress Hotel at noon yesterday.

During the morning clinics were conducted by Dr. C. T. Fleetwood, Dr. Bernard Jankelson, Dr. C. J. Ballard and Dr. O. A. Anderson, all of Seattle.

In addition, clinics were carried on by the Diagnostic Study Club of Vancouver, the Vancouver Foil Club, which demonstrated the uses of gold foil, and by Dr. William Anderson, of Seattle.

DENTAL CORPS CLINIC

The Canadian Dental Corps held a clinic upon fractures of the jaw, and during the morning Dr. J. C. Harding, of San Diego, past president of the Southern California Dental Association, guest speaker at the convention, lectured to the delegates upon the economics of practice.

The delegates, after winding up their technical sessions, held a golf tournament at the Royal Colwood Golf Club in the afternoon.

The dental assistants met with the dentists at the closing lecture of the convention to hear Dr. Harding. In the afternoon the Victoria and visiting dental assistants enjoyed a tea at the Oakbay Beach Hotel, when the out-of-town guests were Miss Gwyneth Meier, Miss Gretchen Thomas, Miss Becky Johnson, Miss Dorothy Beuthelspacher, Miss Ilene Ebken and Miss Elizabeth Forsyth, all of Seattle, and from Vancouver, Miss Margaret Oben, Miss Grace McDonald and Miss Sally Gemmell.

In charge of the assistants' sessions at the convention were Miss Gladys Faryon, programme convener; Miss Dorothy Van, reservations; Mrs. Wynne Saunders, Miss Marjorie MacLennan, table clinics; Miss May Warnock, reception committee; Miss Marguerite McLuhan, telegrams and correspondence; and Miss Peggy Fatt, flowers and corsage bouquets. Miss Jill Lloyd Young was the general convener, and Miss Ruby Donald, vice-president, was in the chair.

CABINET DIVIDED ON CONSCRIPTION

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armed forces is expected to be announced, for the sole purpose of discussing this very subject.

PROBLEM OF QUEBEC

The big problem is Quebec, whose "no" pronouncement on the plebiscite contrasts strongly with the overwhelming "yes" vote in British Columbia and the seven other English-speaking provinces. The situation will probably be clarified very shortly and Conservative members are threatening to bring in a motion for conscription unless this is done.

Irrespective of what stand the Government takes, there is no indication so far that any of the ministers will resign from the Cabinet on the conscription issue. Conscription or no conscription, both Air Minister C. G. Power and Justice Minister Louis St. Laurent will remain in the Cabinet, although their ridings in the plebiscite vote was in the "no" column. The constituency of Transport Minister P. J. A. Cardin was overwhelmingly "no" and it seems quite likely that he will resign and be appointed to the Senate. Mr. Cardin, however, has been in poor health, it is well known, for two years and this is given as the reason for his probable retirement from active politics.

In any event, some appointments to the Cabinet from Quebec Province will be made within the next week or two, it is indicated in Cabinet sources. Quebec, which usually has five members in the Cabinet now only has three.

MENTIONED FOR PROMOTION

Thomas Vien (Outremont-Montreal), now deputy speaker of the House of Commons, and Ernest Bertrand (Laurier-Montreal) are mentioned for the promotions. The voters of both these ridings, which include a large French-Canadian population, returned affirmative majorities in Monday's plebiscite vote. It is suggested that should the Government decide that overseas conscription may have to be introduced, its hands should be strengthened by having two Quebec Cabinet ministers whose constituencies returned a "yes" vote majority on the plebiscite.

FOUR AIRMEN KILLED

BROWNSVILLE, Tex., May 2 (CP).—Four men perished today in the flaming wreckage of a twin-motored United States Army bomber which crashed and exploded during a take-off near the Brownsville airport.

ESTABLISHING FINE RECORD

Ontario Flyer Is One of Youngest Squadron Leaders in R.C.A.F.

WITH THE R.C.A.F. SOMEWHERE IN SCOTLAND, May 2 (CP).—Lloyd Chadburn, a blond squadron leader from Aurora, Ont., is making a name for himself as one of the youngest squadron commanders in the Royal Canadian Air Force overseas.

A twenty-two-year-old veteran of more than 250 hours of operational flying, he was the first Commonwealth Air Training Plan graduate to be given command of a squadron and is the first airman to destroy a German E-boat with cannon-fire. He also has damaged a destroyer and a Junkers 88.

"Chad," a bank ledger-keeper in Toronto before he signed up, has been with the squadron since its formation last November. He saw service before then with two Canadian fighter squadrons and an R.A.F. outfit.

Chadburn destroyed the E-boat while with the R.A.F. squadron, as a flight commander. The action took place about twenty miles off the Netherlands coast.

SIGHTS THREE E-BOATS

"There were three E-boats together," he related. "I picked off one and sank it with cannon-fire. Then I damaged another and might have been able to do a job on the third but I ran out of ammunition."

It was really an accident that the Aurora airman damaged the destroyer.

"I was supposed to shoot up an airdrome not far from Flushing, but I missed it and landed smack over Flushing harbor," he said, pushing a map into the side of one of his heavy black flying boots.

"The destroyer was anchored in the harbor. Their radio-location had picked us up, and the guns around the harbor opened up on us and let go bundles of stuff.

GUNS KNOCKED OUT

"I sprayed the destroyer with cannon and machine-gun fire, and knocked off a few of the sailors standing on the decks. A couple of their guns were knocked out, too."

Chadburn was on dusk patrol off Yarmouth, on the East Coast, when he damaged the Junkers. He smiles when he tells the story, because the intelligence officers told him afterwards they had heard the Nazi pilot report by wireless to his base that he had been damaged but he had shot down a Spitfire. Chadburn's Spitfire wasn't even scratched.

"He had some close misses," Chad said, "but certainly nothing hit me. Anyway, I squirted him all over and saw something fly off, so if he did get home he wasn't all in one piece."

RIPLEY WRONG AIRMEN ASSERT

Practical Tests Show "Believe It or Not" Cartoonist in Error, Say R.A.F.

Does a spirit level always tell the truth?

Robert Ripley, in his "Believe It or Not" feature, says "no." But members of the Royal Air Force stationed at Patricia Bay, after a practical test, contend Mr. Ripley is wrong.

Mr. Ripley poses the question and then replies: "No. In an airplane it always shows level no matter what position or angle the plane is flying."

That Mr. Ripley's conclusions caused quite a commotion among the skeptical airmen, and that they went to some length to disprove his contention, is indicated in an open letter to that well-known cartoonist appearing in the March issue of The Patrician, the R.A.F. station magazine.

Under the caption "R.A.F. Proves Ripley Wrong," and accompanied by an enlightening cartoon, the editors of the magazine report the R.A.F. findings to the erring Mr. Ripley as follows:

Dear Mr. Ripley,—In The Victoria Daily Colonist, dated March 15, the above information regarding the reactions of a spirit level appeared in your regular cartoon. It rather puzzled us—we couldn't believe it, yet we thought, "Ripley is never wrong." Someone suggested that there might be a trick in the wording—we read it and re-read it but couldn't find one. We erks argued heatedly as to whether it was right or wrong (an erk, Mr. Ripley, is an R.A.F. slang word meaning an airman of lowly rank and no social standing). Some said you were right and murmured something rather vaguely about centrifugal force; others very definitely said you were wrong. This argument grew beyond the control of the erks—sergeants and even flight sergeants were often seen in animated discussion on the subject. The uncertainty of it all began to play on our nerves . . . what really did happen to that little bubble of air? At last we asked a pilot officer—he shall remain unnamed lest the disclosure of his ignorance compel him to hang his head in shame—being erks we always thought pilot officers knew everything. He referred us to the chief flying instructor, who went into a huddle with Squadron Leader ——. They, too, shall remain anonymous for the same reason as the pilot officer. It must be said, however, that all these officers thought your statement was wrong, but your reputation prevented them from giving a definite answer. The last-mentioned squadron leader decided that as these furious arguments were undermining the morale and mental fitness of half the station personnel the best thing to do would be to make a practical test.

A few days later we took up a spirit level on one of the routine flights. The pilot was most obliging and climbed and dived and rocked and rolled—all eyes were on that little bubble. What happened? Why the thing just moved about as it does on a table which is being tilted.

We agreed that you asked your readers to "Believe It or Not," but frankly, Mr. Ripley, we don't—now.

The R.A.F. stationed here are awaiting your reply with great interest.

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Death of Pioneer Is Loss to West

In the recent death of John Marshall Young, of Victoria, and late of Regina, Sask., the West lost a man who had a great deal to do with the growth and development of the city of Regina and district.

Mr. Young was born at Fitzroy, Ont., on May 30, 1856, and went to Regina as a young man and became very successful in his varied interests, which among others, covered real estate, finance and manufacturing. Mr. Young was at one time a director of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway.

He took a great interest in the politics of the province of Saskatchewan, and was instrumental in getting his brother-in-law, the late Hon. Walter Scott, who became the first premier of Saskatchewan, started on his successful career.

During his activities in municipal life, he was at one time president of the Regina Board of Trade and financially contributed to the erection of many public buildings in the capital city of Saskatchewan.

Mrs. Young predeceased him by ten years, and two of his boys served in the first Great War.

Cyclist Knocked Down

W. W. Parker, 1489 Hillside Avenue, reported to police last night that at 11:35 o'clock while cycling along Johnson Street and crossing Government Street, he was knocked down by a car driven by George Kendall, 492 Whiteside Road. He sustained no personal injuries, and the bicycle was damaged.

DIES AT GANGES

Charles S. Mackintosh, sixty-nine, broker and mining promoter who figured in the merging of principal Rossland mines, died at his home at Ganges, Salt Spring Island, Thursday. He was the son of the late Hon. Charles H. Mackintosh, who was Lieutenant-Governor of the North West Territories from 1893 to 1898.

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APPEAL OF THE RED CROSS

No organization of remedial mercy, in its evidence of what man may do for man, has ever appealed to the finer instincts of humanity to a greater extent than the Red Cross. The Canadian Society of that world-wide body is launching its 1942 appeal for funds on May 21, and it wants to raise $9,000,000 to carry on a work of humanitarianism the need of which in this greatest of wars keeps on rising to unprecedented heights. It aids both men of the Services and civilians, the later as never before, for the bombing of cities and the ruthless war which is putting whole communities under the lash of its tempest are calling upon the resources of the Red Cross again and again. That is why though last year in Canada a sum of $5,000,000 sufficed, this year it is necessary to secure nearly twice as much as war's demands become increasingly imperative, as its agonies become apparent over an ever-widening area.

Of the amount sought Greater Victoria is asked to subscribe $90,000. The work of the Red Cross is wide in its ramifications. It does what it can to alleviate the lot of prisoners-of-war. It strives its utmost to secure information about missing men to quiet the anxiety of their next-of-kin and other relatives. It has a blood-donor service for overseas needs. In is one of the agencies designed to meet conditions that could arise either from raids or attempted invasion on either coast of Canada. It serves Canadian troops in Great Britain, or wherever they may be. It is the agent of mercy for all those who because of war may be wounded or sick or who have lost their all through enemy action.

This year its appeal is more poignant because of the spread of the war. It will be necessary for almost twice as many people to subscribe as was the case last year, or for many of those who gave in the past to double their subscriptions. It is not altogether philanthropy in a case of this kind; it is a work of necessity, a work of common humanitarianism; a work that is a duty. The residents of Greater Victoria know all this and have never failed when the Red Cross appeals. They will not fail this time.

ENDURANCE

The complete rounding out of what courage means is the power of endurance that is made possible by it. Perhaps it was this belief that inspired His Majesty when in one of his broadcasts of the present war he asked his peoples, "to stand calm and firm and united in this time of trial." He told them, as it is eventuating, that the task will be hard, that such a war can no longer be confined to the battlefield, and he said; "but we can only do the right as we see the right and reverently commit our cause to God. If one and all we keep resolutely faithful to it, ready for whatever service or sacrifice it may demand, then, with God's help, we shall prevail. May He bless and keep us all." That was a call for endurance, for the courage of such a purpose, and, as Samuel Johnson said of courage; "Unless a man has that virtue he has no security for preserving any other."

In time of crisis the texture of men's souls is tried in the furnace of affliction. Those who day after day discuss the fortunes of the war reveal their temperament and the effect upon it of varied happenings. Now, as never in times of peace, there are fluctuations of thought and judgment among many, for their are always those who, to use a hackneyed phrase, are either "up in the skies or down in the dumps." Some wild rumor creates either despondency or exhiliration. Some people are swayed by every wind of optimism, or pessimism. This betokens instability which works harm to those possessed of it, and harm also to those of their fellow-men to whom they may communicate it. It is a denial of the power of endurance which is equal to either fortune. It is only a percentage of the peoples to whom His Majesty appealed for endurance who allows the horrors and tumult of war to shake their belief in the essential verities from which the spirit of man draws strength. Those verities remain, whatever man's reaction to events.

When the late Sir James Barrie made his well-remembered rectorial address to St. Andrew's University in 1922 he chose "courage" as his subject, and in his concluding words, in bidding good-bye to the students, he said; "Courage, my children, and 'greet the unseen with a cheer'." He told his audience that they came of a race of men, "the very wind of whose name has swept to the ultimate seas." He told them how it was courage, with its corollary of endurance, which taught how world situations that arise may be countered. Today there is a world situation, on a grander scale and in a wider theatre, than any that has ever arisen before. This, then, is the time to hold aloft as a beacon the memory of those things which cannot be shaken and never to allow war and violence and whatever circumstances they impose to shake faith in the Divine Power. It is that power that proclaims that the foundations of Christianity never have been or can be cast down. It is that power, more than aught else, that gives those who fight for the preservation of great principles the courage and endurance not to be overcome.

"Behold we count them happy which endure. Ye have heard of the patience of Job, and have seen the end of the Lord; that the Lord is very pitiful and of tender mercy." It is Scripture, too, that provides the injunction; "Wait on the Lord; be of good courage, and He shall strengthen thine heart." It is this strengthening that is needed in these latter days when the world is turning more and more into a maelstrom of suffering because of the evil designs of nations. Take the case of Christ Himself. Throughout His life on earth he held Himself in a discipline that has never been surpassed on His way to Calvary when the time was ripe for the final assault on evil. There was a power of endurance that is a lodestar to all succeeding generations. He taught the lesson that the primary test of courage is to accept discipline; the lesson, too, that there is no fearlessness so real and sure than that which rests on something infinitely higher than its best self.

There are no unwonted gradations of joy and sorrow in men's hearts where those hearts repose on the bosom of the Godhead. There is, whatever the dire circumstances of the time, that peace and trust, that joy "which no man taketh from you." There is no challenge of despair, for the spirit of endurance inspired by trust in the Almighty makes the possessor say in the words of Emily Bronte;

No trembler in the world's storm-troubled sphere;
No coward soul is mine,
I see Heaven's glories shine,
And faith shines equal, arming me from fear.

QUEBEC'S ATTITUDE

No less a staunch supporter of the Federal Government than The Winnipeg Free Press lays the blame fairly and squarely on the shoulders of the administration of Mr. Mackenzie King for "an apparently intractable majority" on the negative side of the plebiscite given by the people of Quebec. It says;

"For this the whole Government is to blame, but the blame rests with special weight upon the shoulders of Mr. King and his French-Canadian colleagues in the Cabinet since war broke out, with the single exception of Mr. St. Laurent, whose advent into the Government is so recent and whose attitude toward the war has been always so clear that he must be wholly absolved. The responsibility for this lack of understanding in Quebec rests upon Mr. King, upon the late Mr. Lapointe, the late Senator Dandurand and Mr. Cardin. For the services of these men when the war broke out, nothing but the highest praise can be offered. Their conduct and bearing were beyond reproach. But the world has changed since 1939. The whole course of the war has deepened the shadows and sharpened the issues to make them comprehensible to everyone. Yet it is apparent today that not only during the plebiscite campaign itself but for many, many months before it, indeed ever since the fall of France, no sustained and vigorous effort has been made to bring home to the French-Canadian citizens of this country as a whole the tragic consequences to them and to us all of defeat."

THE FALL OF MANDALAY

Since the Japanese wrecked Mandalay through bombing there is the possibility that the British and Chinese regarded its defence as unessential. It is, however, a key position in Burma and the campaign there has gone steadily against the United Nations since that territory was invaded by the Japanese. The fall of Mandalay has been anticipated for some days past. The invading army is attacking from many directions, in great strength. As in all expeditions of the Oriental enemy he is bringing greater man-power and greater air power to bear than can be summoned by the defenders. In Burma, too, the British and Chinese have been laboring under the heavy disadvantage of so many traitors existing among the Burmese. These have given active aid to the Japanese, have even mustered forces to fight on their side and in many ways have impeded the ability of the defenders to hold positions which they have chosen for a stand. Perhaps, however, the main factor in the Japanese advance has been their predominance in the air. Once again the United Nations have learned the lesson of too little and too late. There is not much hope now that any part of Burma can be defended successfully. With its conquest a new gate would be opened for the invasion of India by the enemy, and a new gate, as well, for penetration into China in the direction of Chungking, the capital and headquarters of General Chiang kai Shek.

The Prime Minister has announced that, now the plebiscite is over, members of the House of Commons are "free to speak their minds." Evidently hitherto the party whip has kept those minds in subjection, though some have thought that the people's representatives, as well as the people themselves, have freedom of speech.

It is recorded, as an item of news, that Mr. Mackenzie King walked half a mile on Monday last to register his vote on the plebiscite. The real news would lie in some knowledge as to how he wrestled with his conscience and if he voted for or against it.

MEMORY

When I was young my heart and head were light,
And I was gay and feckless as a colt
Out in the fields, with morning in the may,
Wind on the grass, wings in the orchard bloom.
O thrilling sweet, my joy, when life was free,
And all the paths led on from hawthorn-time
Across the carolling meadows into June.
But now my heart is heavy-laden. I sit
Burning my dreams away beside the fire;
For death has made me wise and bitter and strong;
And I am rich in all that I have lost.
O starshine on the fields of long-ago,
Bring me the darkness and the nightingale.
Dim worlds of vanished Summer, peace of home
And silence; and the faces of my friends.

—Siegried Sassoon.

ADVANCE YOUR STANDARDS

"If you do sweat to put a tyrant down,
You sleep in peace, the tyrant being slain;
If you do fight against your country's foes,
Your country's fat shall pay your pains the hire;
If you do fight in safeguard of your wives,
Your wives shall welcome home the conquerors;
If you do free your children from the sword,
Your children's children quit it in your age.
Then in the name of God and all these rights,
Advance your standards, draw your willing swords."

—Shakespeare.

NELSON'S MONUMENT

The gentle unjealous Shakespeare, I trow,
In his country grave of peaceful fame
Must feel exiled from life and glow,
If he think of this man with his warrior claim,
Who looketh on London as if 'were his own,
As he standeth in stone, aloft and alone,
Sailing the sky, with one arm and one eye.

—Robert Bridges.

POSSESSION OF INDIA

Whatever apparent increase of majesty and wealth may have accrued to us from the possession of India, whether these prove to us ultimately power or weakness, depends wholly on the degree in which our influence on the native race shall be benevolent and exalting.—Ruskin.

HOW TO WIN VICTORIES

I never thought myself beaten so long as I could present a front to the enemy. If I was beaten at one point I went to another, and in that way I won all my victories.—The Duke of Wellington, as recorded by the seventh Lord Shaftesbury.

Indolent people, whatever taste they may have for society, seek eagerly for pleasure, and find nothing. They have an empty head and scared hearts.—Zimmerman.

Note and Comment

By SANDHAM GRAVES

New horizons! A well-trained physicist could mention enough in ten minutes to keep all the laboratories of the world inquiring for the next hundred years. A well-trained astronomer could match that, if he did not far outdo it. In medicine and in surgery vast new horizons are opening. In engineering, electricity, metallurgy, meteorology, and many other studies, the same condition would be described; new, untrod paths stretching before the human intellect farther than any eye can see. Or, to be correct, distant horizons have been sighted to which at present no paths exist. That is a challenge. Probably there never before was a day when so many new horizons beckoned man, the animal whose peculiar gift is curiosity.

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World war has both retarded and advanced the finding of answers to some of these questions. War has carried aviation into the substratosphere, giving to aerodynamics in a decade knowledge it might not have known in a century. Under its pressure, oceans have been flown and the world spanned. We marvel, now, to hear that one ferry plane, out of several thousand, is reported missing in a "routine flight" across the Atlantic Ocean. We read of action at 35,000 feet altitude, almost seven miles from the ground. In a military sense that has brought in fifteen new air-oceans, each world encircling, and each 1,000 feet apart from its neighbors. In a civilian sense, that has given us fifteen new lanes around the globe; taken us out of the storm level; and thrown suddenly at us more air-miles than we are able at present to understand, or to use.

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The world war has also stopped some of our inquiries, postponed the day when answers will be found to many questions. Astronomical observatories find themselves shut off from large sections of the globe; their observers unable to compare notes; their specialists left in a one-way street which does not lead to the horizon they are seeking. World-weather charts were almost here when the conflict broke out; but now they are blocked, and as distant as if we had never learned that weather is an affair of the whole world. In physics, in science a similar thing could be said many times over. This is, indeed, the great interruption. The new horizons are there, waiting for new paths to reach them. One by one, they will come within our reach.

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Exploration once involved mainly the discovery of new land. (We are still finding odd pieces here and there, once fancies.) With two-thirds or so of the globe under water, land seemed a precious thing. But the day came when, save for Antarctica, we thought that we had found it all. The finding, evidently, was not enough. Man, as a species, had not fully developed his manner of life. The clashes were well nigh continuous; culminating in the Donnybrook that we see. That is a transient phase, of sheer necessity. Though when one examines it closely, world peace is itself a new horizon; perhaps the one that Time has set as the goal of these centuries. We are projecting that path when we consider those who make war against us as mad; and resolve firmly to settle with them as with insane criminals.

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There are mighty horizons awaiting the end of the Great Interruption; after the world has settled with the enemies of the human species, for it comes down to that. Faith, ethics, law, what indifferent tenure yet they have gained in the heart of man! Are there not new and greater horizons ahead in whatever compartment of living one examines? Take law, for example. Where is the world's code, the world court, the world policeman? We have formed a world jury, I think, and we see dimly the need for the rest of the machinery, or for something very similar. And when we think of law we should remember that all men must be free, and equal before the law; tried by their peers, and dealt with by impartial judges. On no other cornerstone could nations, the great and the small together, lay down their rights. Today that is only a horizon; but tomorrow it may take form and substance.

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Ethics is the product of self-control in the human species. Surely, the human species needs more self-discipline, and less of the rigidity of rules imposed from without. Laws, in one sense, are the growth of ethics in a primitive state; because no law can be enforced against unwilling masses, against peoples in the multitude, or against even a resisting majority of a single race of people. So beyond law, there is a wider, and a colder horizon; a world of self-controlled human beings. Your faith, as mine, is your own affair. Yet who will pretend there are not limitless horizons there? Man needs faith, if he is not to see life as a somewhat pointless joke. Man will acquire faith, to feed his soul; and then alone will he live in all his intended dimensions. For it is an anomaly that any lamp can shine where there is no light. Whether we reach them or not, new horizons beckon more brightly today for all the passage of the countless years.

Was Ever Seed Like Theirs

(Of the Dandelions)

Was ever seed like theirs, that they are of;
So fair are all their shining hosts that make
A firmament of joy in places rough
And barren. How the round stems of them shake
Out stars that rival heaven's, and for the sake
Of city corse-lovelorn things, and roof
With brightest beams, dread things; and lightly take
The grey of earth and give back gold enough!

Sweet is the heavenly wealth, whose happy worth
Is like these simple flowers! We but are rich
Who touch to gold a darkened spot of earth,
And lovely make a common wayside ditch;
Or light a yellow candle in some niche
Of broken wall, making a shrine of mirth.

—Dudley H. Anderson.

Victoria, B.C., 1942.

The Observation Car

By G.B.

A scarcity of fresh vegetables is in prospect because so many truck farms being vacated by Japanese in the Pacific Northwest are not being taken over by white farmers for cultivation, and home gardens will be depended on this Summer and next Autumn to provide many green vegetables, according to an announcement at Seattle by the United States Agricultural Market Service. . . . New York has no air raid shelters and is not planning to construct any because civilian defence officials feel shelters are detrimental to morale. The War Production Board in the United States is also opposed to shelters because they would divert vital war materials. . . . In the Ohio State Penitentiary sixty convicts are undergoing two hours' training daily with the object of joining the army on their release. Records showed that inmates of the prison have purchased $3,000 worth of defence stamps and $11,000 worth of war bonds. There is no reason why military training could not be given at Oskalla Prison Farm and the British Columbia Penitentiary. . . . The Atlanta, Georgia, Journal lost several copy boys to the army, so decided to hire a copy girl. A few days later she promptly married an army sergeant and quit. . . . The Assistant United States Attorney-General recently announced that mass production of a new motor fuel with a 110-octane rating, 50 per cent more powerful than present aviation gasoline, would be a reality this year. After the war the new fuel will give automobiles an increase of 30 per cent in the mileage per gallon. . . . From Up-Island comes the story of a crusty sergeant who came across a handful of privates and asked: "Any of you lads know anything about shorthand?" Two of the men said they both had a smattering. "Then report to the kitchen right away. Cook says he is shorthanded on dishwashers," the sergeant ordered.

Tides at Victoria

MAY

Time of tides (Pacific Standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of May, 1942.

Date	H.M.	Ft.	H.M.	Ft.	H.M.	Ft.	H.M.	Ft.
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7	5 42	7.0	4 28	7.1	14 26	2.1	23 31	8.1
8	6 51	6.4	8 04	6.9	15 23	2.9	23 59	8.0
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14	1 54	6.1	9 55	1.6	19 33	7.4	21 45	7.1
15	2 01	6.0	10 31	1.3	20 23	7.6	22 23	7.3
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22	6 40	5.8	8 23	3.9	15 13	3.9	23 07	7.5
23	6 08	5.9	10 40	3.7	16 06	4.3	23 26	8.1
24	6 28	4.1	12 06	6.0	17 13	5.1	23 52	8.4
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26	0 22	8.7	7 40	2.9	14 23	6.6	19 11	6.1
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The time used is Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The heaves for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tide periods without turning.

To find the depth of water on the silt at the Esquimalt Drydock at any tide, add 30 feet to the height of high water as above given.

THIEVES

While on patrol duty a member of the Home Guard came across a watchman asleep in his hut.

The sirens had just previously sounded. Shaking the old man, he shouted: "Wake up; don't you know the siren's gone?"

Sleepily he mumbled: "Well, I'm not surprised. The people round here'll take anything."

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

From The Daily Colonist of May 3, 1892

"Boned" the Banjo—A handsome and expensive banjo which was left unattended and untied for "just a minute or two" in a Fort Street doorway a few evenings ago, in just that "minute or two" managed to disappear. The police are now looking for it.

Should Succeed—Mr. Andrew Gilde has reopened his cigar and refreshment stand at the terminus of the James Bay car line, and intends carrying on this season a larger business than ever. This being the only small refreshment stand in that locality, no doubt he will be well patronized.

Outings to Commence—The Natural History Society of British Columbia, at their regular meeting on Monday, decided to hold the first outing of the season some time this month. Better weather than the present for such an expedition could hardly be asked for.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception. No letter should exceed 500 words in length.

POTATO SHORTAGE

Sir, — In order to correct an erroneous impression which, it would seem, is in the minds of some people, we have been requested by several farmers to give the reasons for the shortage of potatoes in this district—in fact, in the whole Island and province at this time, these being now almost unobtainable anywhere.

Quite a large acreage was planted to potatoes last year and, although the growing season was not favorable, an adequate supply would have been dug had it not been for the abnormally wet September and October.

Our weather records indicated that during September and October rain fell on about forty days. This not only brought about a heavy loss by blight, but a very much heavier one due to the impossibility of digging these out of rain-soaked bottom lands. Literally thousands of tons in the province are still lying in these "bottoms" now rotten. Had an adequate supply of labor been available, a large percentage of these could have been saved.

The impression that prevails in some minds, namely that the shortage has arisen because of Marketing Board control, is not correct, because the majority of farmers look upon potato and controlled vegetable growing as offering one avenue through which they can depend upon a price giving at least cost plus something, which they cannot rely upon to the same extent for uncontrolled produce.

It is indicated that this year on the Island there will be a lesser shrinkage from normal production in potatoes and other controlled products than in any of the other lines of farm production, due to the stability of price than can be anticipated through market control.

As executive members and representatives of several growers' associations from end to end of this island, we believe we can very safely say that no less than 80 per cent of marketing growers here, and probably in the whole province, are emphatically favorable to control. Resolutions, therefore, designed to persuade the Government to suspend the Marketing Act for the duration are contrary to the wishes and interests of this great majority and are viewed by us as propaganda emanating from unsympathetic sources.

ASSOCIATED POTATO GROWERS OF V.I. (Advisory Board),
Per Raymond W. Pincott,
Secretary.

Nanaimo, B.C., April 25, 1942.

IN WARTIME

Sir,—In today's Colonist we read that in a speech by Lieutenant Armstrong the Kinamen Club was warned against "loose gossip." This warning is overdue and needs to be more strongly emphasized.

A few weeks ago we gave a lift to a sailor city bound. More to make conversation than anything else my husband made some remark about a ship that had been very much in the news. "I suppose," he said, "by this time she will be doing useful work elsewhere." Quick came the answer —"Oh no. She isn't. She won't be going out until next week. She is at —— being refitted."

Another time we picked up another sailor and mentioned that some of the "silent service" were not silent enough. He laughed and said "Oh, bless you, any spy that wanted to learn the movements of ships has only to stand at the corner of Yates and Douglas, by the tobacco shop, and he will get an earful in no time."

Both these incidents were before war came so near to us, but probably not before Japan was listening in. Why, one wonders also, was no notice taken of a number of Japanese on an excursion boat, who with powerful cameras took pictures of the coastline the whole way from Vancouver to Victoria. We didn't know then that war with Japan was in the offing, but they probably did. There is a Chinese proverb which is doubly appropriate in times like these, "Into the shut mouth no flies get."

L. F. HEYWOOD.

P.O. Box 495, Victoria, B.C., May 1, 1942.

DO'S and DON'T'S

Sir,—1. We don't, contrary to a current rumor, burn or destroy anything of value at the Cloverdale Depot as we are the very group especially committed to the almost lost faculty of conservation. We do burn cellophane, wax paper, filthy and useless paper and materials. The public would save us the work by keeping such materials themselves.

2. We don't refuse steel or iron which we can possibly find means to obtain and which can possibly be sent to the foundries or smelters. We do refuse and destroy (at trouble and expense) light galvanized and sheet-metal objects such as car fenders, dustpans, galvanized pots and pans.

3. We did not take trucks to Luxton to pick up seventy-five pounds of salvage but $75 worth, collected by the excellent lads of Luxton School.

4. We did not make a profit of $12,000 in our first year's operations. We sold $12,000 worth, but out of this sum we had to purchase trucks, erect some premises, equip our office, pay insurance and various items necessary to running our business, as shown in our financial statement given to the press in January, which was considered highly satisfactory by our committee and by the Department of National War Services.

5. We do not pay wages or salaries to part-time workers, of whom the writer is one. We did not pay any salaries or wages (except watchman) for the first eleven months of our operations. Our business has now increased to between $2,000 and $3,000 a month, and we have found it impossible to carry on without a nucleus of full-time permanent paid workers. They are the following: (1), office manageress; (2), depot manager; (3), metal expert; (4), metal sorter; (5), laborer; (6), watchman. In no case is more than $2.75 a day paid.

A. H. PEASE, Honorary Mgr.
Salvage Corps of B.C., 1218 Government Street, Victoria, B.C., May 2, 1942.

B.C. PIONEER DEAD

VANCOUVER, May 2 (CP).—Funeral rites were held here today for Clarence Harper Tingley, British Columbia pioneer and son of the founder of the Cariboo stage service. Mr. Tingley, who was seventy-two, was born in Victoria.

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Sunrise and Sunset

MAY

Times of Sunrise and Sunset (Pacific Standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of April, 1942

Date	Sunrise	Sunset	Date	Sunrise	Sunset
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7	6 45	19 36	23	4 24	19 57
8	6 44	19 38	24	4 23	19 58
9	6 42	19 39	25	4 22	19 59
10	6 41	19 40	26	4 21	20 00
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Meteorological Office, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

According to Culbertson

If only bridge players were not in such a hurry! To watch many of them, one might think that the only way to get rid of a loser is to ruff it or discard it immediately. Note today's deal.

South, dealer.
Both sides vulnerable.

NORTH
♠ K J 2
♥ Q J 7 4
♦ 9 7 6 4 2
♣ 10

WEST
♠ A 4
♥ 10 6
♦ Q J 8
♣ K Q J 9 3 2

EAST
♠ Q 10 9 6
♥ 8 5 3
♦ 10 5
♣ 8 6 5 4

SOUTH
♠ 8 7 5 3
♥ A K 9 2
♦ A K 3
♣ A 7

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
1 ♥	2 ♣	2 ♥	Pass
2 NT	Pass	3 ♥	Pass
4 ♥	Pass	Pass	Pass

West opened the club king and declarer won. Then, apparently feeling that now was as good a time as any to get rid of the losing club, South led the seven spot and ruffed in dummy. He then drew trumps in three rounds, after which he decided to establish the diamond suit. He cashed the ace and king and continued with the three spot. West won and led the queen of clubs. Now declarer was in a terrible position. He had to use his last trump as a ruffer and had no quick entry to dummy. He led a spade. West hopped up with the ace and rattled off club tricks. South, who had started off by thinking of a slam, found himself down two tricks on a mere game contract.

The haste in ruffing the losing club was directly responsible for this upset. Declarer should have seen that as long as trumps were in the dummy, he was safe against a club loser. His prime consideration should have been to establish dummy's diamond suit for discards. To that end he should have drawn, at most, two trumps, then should have led the A K and a third diamond. Now it would be West who would be helpless. If he chose to return a club, dummy would ruff, draw the last trump and then cash two good diamonds, upon which declarer would discard two spades. Declarer still would have a trump and would merely have to concede two spades to the enemy. If West chose to return the ace and another spade, declarer would end up with an overtrick.

As a matter of fact, by taking some slight risk at the very beginning declarer could insure his own overtrick, that is, he could lead a spade toward dummy. This, however, might go wrong, and since the contract was only four hearts and the game was rubber bridge, not match point duplicate, the previously outlined plan was advisable.

Ask All to Support Campaign to Secure Needed Ambulances

Special Committee of Saanich A.R.P. Organization Opens Drive for $4,000 Tomorrow—Heads of Municipal Services Back Undertaking

"I ASK your full support and co-operation in the forthcoming Saanich A.R.P. ambulance drive, which begins Monday . . . You people will agree with me that we on this Pacific Coast may at any time be on the firing line, and that any one of us may be the first casualty to need the services of these ambulances," E. C. Warren, acting reeve of Saanich, declared yesterday in a signed statement supporting the campaign to secure $4,000 for A.R.P. purposes from residents of the municipality between May 4 and May 9.

"Our object is to purchase and equip two ambulances, and also to equip twenty-five panel delivery trucks for ambulance work. I believe this to be one of the most essential of our A.R.P. services," Mr. Warren's statement concluded.

The Saanich Board of Trade, which realizes the importance of being prepared for any eventuality, will do its share to assist in raising the necessary funds, and heartily endorses the action of the Saanich A.R.P. Ambulance Committee in promoting the drive, President Maurice Atkins said Saturday.

VEHICLES ESSENTIAL

Dr. J. L. Gayton, medical health officer for Saanich, issued the following statement:

"This appeal is for the protection of your family. Suppose that your area is hard hit. The minor casualties will be treated at the nearest first aid point (of which we have many excellent ones), perhaps being carried there by a small local ambulance, which this fund will help to equip. However, any serious injuries should be seen 'on the spot' and given first aid treatment there before being sent to hospital.

"This is where the new ambulances or mobile units will prove a real life-saver. They would be immediately dispatched to the scene of any major incident; the seriously injured would be seen by our most capable staff within a few minutes, and then transported, in a properly constructed, comfortable ambulance to the hospital.

"This is your opportunity to share in providing this essential service for your family, yourself and your friends."

AMBULANCES REQUIRED

Saanich municipality has at present only one police patrol fitted up as a police ambulance. As the municipality has an area of fifty-five square miles and a population of approximately 22,000, more ambulances are urgently required, together with as many improvised ambulances as it may be possible to obtain.

"I feel sure," Chief of Police Josiah Bull pointed out, "that the people will be 100 per cent behind the efforts of the Saanich A.R.P. Ambulance Committee in its campaign to raise funds for the protection of the public."

The group in charge of the campaign plans to purchase two large panel delivery trucks and equip them to handle the most serious cases of injury. These will be driven by volunteers, and will carry first aid personnel to care for the injured during the journey from the "incident" to the first aid post or hospital.

Further, according to Capt. E. D. W. Levien, chief A.R.P. officer for Saanich, the committee intends to outfit twenty-five panel delivery trucks, use of which has been offered by volunteers.

UNDER DOCTOR'S CONTROL

"The ambulances," Capt. Levien stated, "will be stationed at such strategic points in the municipality as shall be decided upon by Dr. J. L. Gayton, head of its A.R.P. medical services. Every cent which is subscribed will be used for the purpose for which it is being given. The central committee will handle all the money which is subscribed and all purchasing and conversion of the ambulances, for which tenders will be called in the near future.

"A balance sheet will be published to show the public how this fund has been expended. The inhabitants of the municipality should realize that this committee is doing this work for their benefit, and to be of assistance to them if the emergency should come."

RADIO PROGRAMME

At 8:45 o'clock tomorrow night, Reeve Warren, Capt. Levien and Dr. Gayton will speak over radio station CJVI in support of the campaign. Frank Tupman and George Randall will be in charge of the programme.

The next organization meeting will be held May 6 at the Municipal Hall at 8 p.m. Proceeds from the annual ball to be held by municipal employees at the Agricultural Hall, Saanichton, on Friday, May 22, will be turned over to the ambulance fund, and those in charge hope to raise a further $1,000 for its purposes.

NAME COMMITTEES

Reeve Warren, Councillor J. L. Hobbs and Councillor George Austin represent the Municipal Council upon the Saanich A.R.P. ambulance committee. A.R.P. representatives are Capt. Levien, C. P. Ennals and Dr. J. L. Gayton; employees' representatives, E. A. Bleathman, Miss Helen Elliott, secretary, and W. A. Greene, treasurer.

Ward committee chairmen are George Yardley, George Randall, Heyhroek, J. S. Humphries, George Maynard, W. O. Wallace and Frank Tupman. Members of the advertising committee are Councillor George Austin (chairman), George Yardley, W. O. Wallace and George Randall. Contributions should be made payable to the Saanich A.R.P. Ambulance Fund, Municipal Hall, Royal Oak, B.C.

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MEMBERS WILL ADDRESS CLUB

"Pioneers in Rotary" Will Be Featured in Programme At Weekly Meeting

CLUB CALENDAR

MONDAY—Victoria Gyro Club, weekly luncheon, Empress Hotel, 12:10 p.m.

TUESDAY—Victoria Kiwanis Club, weekly luncheon, Empress Hotel, 12:10 p.m.

THURSDAY—Victoria Rotary Club, weekly luncheon, Empress Hotel, 12:10 p.m.; Lions Club, weekly luncheon, Spencer's dining-room, 12:10 p.m.

"Pioneers in Rotary" will be featured on the programme of the Victoria Rotary Club at the weekly luncheon on Thursday. Under the chairmanship of James H. Beatty, members will speak upon different phases of Rotary and compare early Rotary with the present-day organization.

The speaker at the Victoria Kiwanis Club on Tuesday will be Harry L. Smith, M.A., principal of the Victoria High School. He will speak to the clubmen on "Utilization of Our Youth Resources."

James H. Hill, chartered accountant, will be the guest speaker of the Lions Club at the weekly luncheon on Thursday.

The Victoria Gyro Club luncheon on Monday will be devoted again to discussions on the club war effort. A further report will be submitted by the directors with regard to the possible ambulance purchase, and the question of the annual Solarium hole-in-one contest and the club's representation at the Kamloops district Gyro Convention will be dealt with.

INSPECT ARMY POST

FORT BRAGG, N.C., May 2 (AP).—The Public Relations Office announced that Field Marshal Sir John Dill and General George C. Marshall, chiefs of the British and United States Army General Staffs, respectively, came here today for an inspection of this huge army post.

PENSIONERS TO MEET

The monthly meeting of the Victoria Aged Pensioners' Association, Inc., will be held in the lower hall of the First Baptist Church, Quadra Street, on Tuesday at 2:30 p.m. W. T. Straith, K.C., M.P.P., will give a short address covering the salient features of the Old Age Pensions Act. The association will also be handed its charter of incorporation under the Societies Act of British Columbia, by Mr. Straith. An invitation is extended to the public.

Canada's War Effort Slated for Debate in Commons This Week

Conscription of Manpower, Wealth and Industry May Be Major Item—Army, Navy and Air Force Affairs to Be Reviewed

OTTAWA, May 2 (CP).—Parliament seems headed for a debate on all-out conscription of manpower and, coupled with that, conscription of wealth and industry. Whether it is to come in the course of current discussion of the War Appropriation Bill or on a specific measure remains to be seen.

Debate on the War Appropriation Bill, which opens the way for discussion of every aspect of the war effort, will be "continued on Monday.

By agreement the order of procedure on this measure was to discuss army affairs first, then the navy and air force, with munitions and supply and national war services following. Colonel Ralston was the chief target for questions and suggestions on army matters most of last week and the House had not finished with him when adjournment for the week-end was taken Friday night.

WILL DEMAND ACTION

It is known that the Conservative party will demand action by the Government toward full and unlimited conscription when the time seems ripe to do so.

Howard Green (Conservative, Vancouver South) indicated this move by his party on Friday when he suggested that, on the basis of the total Canadian vote in the plebiscite freeing the Government from its no-conscription pledges by a great majority, it was up to Parliament to act.

He suggested an amendment to the National Resources Mobilization Act, removing Section 3, which provides that men called up under the act shall not be required to serve outside Canada or its territorial waters.

Immediately after the plebiscite, when the House resumed last Tuesday afternoon, Conservative House Leader Hanson referred to the plebiscite vote and said:

PARLIAMENT IS FREE

"Now there is no stumbling, real or imaginary, to total war. The hour has struck when every human and material resource must be mobilized for war service. Parliament is now free to act—there are no fetters upon the Prime Minister or his Government. Let us act and act now."

To this the Prime Minister replied that he wished to wait until final plebiscite returns had been given to the House before discussing the vote. It is expected the Government will make known to the House what action it proposes to take in the light of the plebiscite vote of yesterday," Mr. King said.

There were signs during the week-end that the Opposition does not propose to wait much longer before precipitating a discussion on this question.

WEALTH AND INDUSTRY

When the debate does arise the Co-operative Commonwealth Federation will not oppose full conscription, but it will demand that wealth and industry must also be conscripted.

This was made clear by M. J. Coldwell, House leader of the C.C.F. group, in his statement to the press immediately after the result of the plebiscite was known.

It is expected the New Democracy group will support any move toward conscription, but its members would wish to couple it with measures designed to make full use of Government control over money and credit along the lines they have advocated since 1935.

Thus the debate would, in the main, line up the great majority of House members of all parties against the relatively small group, mostly Quebec Liberals, who are unalterably opposed to conscription for service overseas.

CABINET CHANGES

Cabinet changes are said to be in the making with announcements expected shortly. Prime Minister Mackenzie King was asked in the House on Thursday by Liguori Lacombe (Conservative, Laval-Two Mountains), "Is it the Government's intention at this decisive hour to grant immediately to the Province of Quebec the representation in the Cabinet to which it is entitled?"

Mr. King replied that "that matter is being carefully considered." There were many rumors over the week-end involving rather extensive Cabinet changes which would restore Quebec's representation, upset last Fall when Pierre Casgrain, Secretary of State, was made a justice of the Quebec Superior Court and Hon. Norman McLarty was moved from the Labor Department to replace him, while Hon. Humphrey Mitchell, not then a member of the House, was made Labor Minister.

A statement on the Government's attitude to requests for action to relieve housing shortage in many parts of the Dominion has been promised by Finance Minister Ilsley for this week.

Mr. Ilsley is not expected to bring down his budget until near the end of May. He gave an advance peek at its contents last week when he said tax concessions would be made to encourage exploration for base metals and other essential minerals.

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DESTROYED THEIR PLANE

LISBON, May 2 (AP).—Six members of the crew of a German bomber which made a forced landing on a beach at Apulal, near Espozende on the northwest coast of Portugal, set their plane afire and surrendered last night to authorities in a nearby town. One of the flyers was injured.

The lights had gone out in the bus, and the tall man asked the lady, who had got on at the last stop, if he could help her find a strap.

"I've already found one," she said.

"Then would you mind letting go of my necktie?"

THE Craftsman goes to War!
While bombs burst, shells crash, engines roar and wheels thunder—keen-eyed engineers observe the performance of Empire battle equipment. To them, the battlefront is a world-wide laboratory from which come new methods of warfare, new ideas for military vehicles.
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Far away on a battlefield as wide as the horizon, an Empire column seeks out the enemy. Fast, rugged trucks—"flying wings" of the motorized attacking force—dart in and out on scouting sorties, carrying officers, gun crews or vital wireless equipment. These speedy fighting machines are "made-to-order" for modern warfare in Ford of Canada's Windsor plant.
The grey-haired craftsman in Windsor and the square-jawed man on the battle-front fight side by side. The craftsman is part of "the Ford way" of making sure that Canada's fighting machines become steadily better, faster, stronger. The Empire warrior is using these modern "tools of war" to show the world a free man can always lick a slave.
"Our objective is to do everything within our power to provide equipment that will give our fighting men striking power superior to that of the enemy. We will produce to the limit of our capacity and expand that capacity as necessary until the job is done. Every fighting machine we produce is built to the highest standards known to modern science."
Statement by Wallace R. Campbell, President, Ford of Canada
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Social Activities and Notes of Personal Interest

Social and Personal

Jubilee Alumnae Dinner

Hospital Alumnae held their annual reunion dinner last evening at the Oakbay Beach Hotel, reservations being made for eighty members, including a large number of out-of-town guests. The president, Mrs. Douglas Hunter, welcomed the members and extended a special greeting to ten nursing sisters who were present. The dinner tables were beautifully arranged with lilac and tulips in shades of mauve and yellow, which are the colors of the hospital training school. Mauve and yellow tapers completed the charming effect. The place cards were made in the motif of the school pin. Among those at the head table was Miss G. Curry, a guest of honor, and regret was expressed at the unavoidable absence of Miss Lena Mitchell, director of nursing, who was also to have been a guest of honor. Also seated at the head table was Miss Dorothy Colquhoun, instructress of nursing, who was recently made an honorary member. The toast to the King was proposed by Mrs. Hunter; and that to the Alma Mater was proposed by Miss Pearl Barbour and responded to by Mrs. J. H. Russell in the absence of Miss Mitchell. The toast to the nursing sisters was proposed by Miss Margaret Coutts. The president announced that the annual tea for the graduating class will be held tomorrow from 3 to 5 p.m. at the home of Mrs. G. M. Duncan, 2528 Cavendish Avenue, the 1942 graduating class to be guests of the alumnae. On May 10 the rededication service of nurses to nursing will be held at the First United Church and St. Andrew's Cathedral at 7:30 p.m. After dinner an enjoyable time was spent in renewing old friendships and in reminiscing about training school days.

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Chapter Holds Tea

Members of the Dr. O. M. Jones Chapter, I.O.D.E., held a most successful "bread-and-butter" tea on Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. William Ellis, Beach Drive, in aid of the war work fund. Mrs. Ellis and the regent, Mrs. H. A. Stuart, welcomed the many guests and during the afternoon a delightful musical programme was given in which Mrs. Nora Jones Jeffrey sang two groups of songs; Joy Groves gave several impersonations; Freda Nattrass played two piano solos; Mrs. William Ellis delighted the guests with two songs, and Mrs. Harold Groves was the accompanist. The tea table, [illegible] were bright with Spring flowers, and presiding at the table were Mrs. H. A. Stuart and Mrs. P. E. Corby, members of the chapter assisting in serving. A table of home-made breads, such as were served at tea, was in charge of Mrs. H. Price and proved very popular.

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Miscellaneous Shower

Miss Eileen Young, whose marriage to Mr. Eric Grant took place yesterday, was the guest of honor on Friday evening when Misses Dolores Grant and June Rosson entertained at a miscellaneous shower held at the former's home on Torquay Drive. The rooms were prettily decorated with Clara Butt tulips and narcissi. Upon her arrival the bride-to-be was presented with a corsage bouquet of white carnations and pink rosebuds. The pretty gifts were concealed in a blue and white decorated box surmounted by a plane from whose wing-tips streamers were attached to the ceiling. Games were enjoyed and prizes were awarded. A buffet supper brought the evening to a close. The guests were Mesdames J. Grant, J. Young, H. West, Dunnett, R. Irvine, J. Hogg and Misses Jean Dunnett, Lorraine Tait and Kay Dunnett.

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Presentation Made at Tea

In compliment to Miss Edna Chambers, whose marriage to Mr. Jack Marson takes place next week, Mrs. Thomas Mitchell, 2250 McNeil Avenue, was hostess at the tea hour yesterday. Spring flowers in pastel shades were attractively arranged in the rooms. Mrs. E. Mitchell, Sr. poured tea and Mrs. J. Small served the ices at the prettily appointed table centred with pale pink carnations in a copper bowl and lighted by pale green candles. Miss Dolina McKinnon assisted the hostess. During the afternoon Miss Chambers was presented with a handsome table lamp, accompanied by a corsage bouquet of gardenias. The guests were Mesdames B. Chambers, J. Small, W. Murray, W. Sneddon, J. Kirkendale, E. Mitchell and Misses Sheila Sneddon, Dolina McKinnon, Ruth Stansfield, Kay Sneddon and Babs Chambers.

For Bride-to-Be

Mrs. H. Deacon, Seymour Avenue, was hostess recently at an evening party for Miss Joyce Stevens, a bride-to-be of this month. She and her mother, Mrs. R. Stevens, were presented with bouquets of pink and red carnations and Miss Stevens also received a chenille bedspread, the gift of her friends. Supper was served from a table centred with a silver basket of doronicums. Those present were Mesdames R. Stevens, M. Couch, C. Wilkinson, R. Hayward, E. Deacon, A. Couch, E. Musgrave, T. Bryant, J. Corey, S. Jones, B. Mitchell, A. Stewart, M. Brown, S. Gibbons, C. Langdon, M. Mitchell, M. Barr, L. Oliver, V. Morris, T. Sadler, G. Wells, W. Renfrew, T. Hill, H. Deacon and Misses Jean Corey, Joan Mitchell, Edith Burrows and Master Gordon Deacon.

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Visitor Entertained

Dr. Dorothy Turville, president of the Canadian Federation of University Women, was the guest of honor at a dinner party held at the Oakbay Beach Hotel on Friday evening. Others present were Miss Patricia Hamilton Smith, president of the local club; Dr. Olga Jardine, president of the Y.W.C.A. board; Mrs. Kate Farquharson, representing the Business and Professional Women's Club, and Mrs. H. L. Smith, Mrs. Edna Godson, Mrs. Harry Hickman, Dr. Irene Hudson, Mrs. Hazel Hodson and Misses Olive Heritage and Dorothy Cruickshank. In the afternoon Miss Hamilton Smith entertained at tea at the Empress Hotel for Dr. Turville, and earlier in the day Dr. Irene Hudson was hostess at a small luncheon party in her honor.

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Linen Shower

Mrs. Vera Finlay entertained at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. Wittcomb, 1439 Pembroke Street, at a linen shower in honor of Miss Jane Taylor whose marriage to Mr. Kenneth Munn will take place on May 16. She was presented with a corsage of carnations and the gifts were concealed beneath a miniature bride. The evening was spent in playing games and music. The invited guests were Mesdames H. Couke, G. Fee, E. Jackson, V. Smith, S. Harris, E. Genis, G. Mackinnon, G. West and Misses J. Taylor, Jean Wittcomb and A. Adams.

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Will Attend Wedding

Mrs. F. W. B. George is leaving on Wednesday for Calgary to attend the wedding of her son, Lieut. R. B. George and Miss Jean Lane, New Westminster, which will take place next Saturday. She will be accompanied on the trip by the bride-to-be.

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Move to New Home

Mrs. Rodney Keller, Winnipeg, who with her two children has been occupying Mrs. St. Denys Wood's house on Windsor Road, has moved to Mr. and Mrs. James D. Munro's house, 2112 Granite Street, Oak Bay.

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Leaving for Winnipeg

Mrs. A. H. Mitchell and her son, Barry, will leave on Tuesday for Winnipeg where they will stay indefinitely. En route to Winnipeg they will stop off at Edmonton and Calgary.

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Afternoon Hosts

Major and Mrs. R. H. Fort, Constance Avenue, entertained a number of their friends informally yesterday afternoon.

—Photo by Ken McAllister.

MISS MARY WICKSON

—Photo by Savannah.

SUB-LT. ROBERT STARK, R.C.N.V.R.

Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Wickson, Transit Road, Oak Bay, Announce the Engagement of Their Only Daughter, Mary Verna, to Sub-Lt. Robert Stark, R.C.N.V.R., Youngest Son of Mr. and Mrs. William Stark, Moss Street. The Wedding Will Take Place About the Middle of May.

To Speak on India in Aid Of Red Cross

Sir Robert Holland, K.C.I.E., who will speak upon "India's Hour of Peril" at Oak Bay Municipal Hall on Wednesday, May 6, at 8:30 p.m., in aid of the Red Cross, is eminently well qualified to discuss his subject.

Sir Robert, now retired from the Indian Civil Service, served the foreign department of the Government of India secretariat from 1904 to 1908, and from 1908 to 1910 was political agent and consul at Muskat. From 1911 to 1915 he was deputy secretary to the Government of India, and was on political duty with the Mesopotamia Field Force from 1915 to 1917, being mentioned in dispatches for his services.

He served as officiating political secretary to the Government of India in 1919, was a member of the Indian Council from 1925 to 1931 and judicial adviser to the Siamese Government from 1933 to 1936. Sir Robert Holland has established a reputation as an author, lecturer and authority on Indian affairs, and his address upon the topic mentioned above should prove of keen interest to his audience.

ENTERTAIN SERVICEMEN

Members of the Youth Victory Club were hosts recently at a dance held for members of His Majesty's Forces at the Sons of England Hall. Entertainment was provided during the evening by Miss Vanda Hudson, impersonations; Mr. Bill Hutchinson as the beautiful lady in red, and Miss Georgette Comeau, song, with a chorus of boys, Messrs. Art Corry, Bill Carson, Tommy Rayfuse and Harold Gelling. Mr. Bill Hutchinson was master of ceremonies, and refreshments were in charge of Miss Dorothy Bailey and Mrs. H. Mezger.

Red Cross Is World Symbol Of Kindness

Shortly the Canadian Red Cross Society will ask citizens of Canada for $9,000,000 to continue the work of the Dominion's greatest voluntary service—work that means so much to the men in the armed forces, prisoners of war, patients in military hospitals, and the people of Britain's bomb-devastated cities.

Next week Red Cross canvassers will begin a person-to-person canvass in this district to raise more money to alleviate suffering caused by the world's worst war.

As it spreads throughout the world the work of the Red Cross grows until today there is no field of battle or area of disaster where the Red Cross is not actively engaged in comforting the sick and wounded and feeding and clothing the civilian victims of destruction.

The activities and humanitarian functions of the Red Cross bring to mind that courageous gentlewoman, Florence Nightingale, who years ago on the Crimean battlefront waged a gallant fight to succor the British wounded.

In the history books they call her "The Lady of the Lamp" because the suffering soldiers came to recognize her as a symbol of mercy and a harbinger of relief and comfort. A cool hand on a feverish brow; the loosening of a too-tight bandage, and a word of encouragement to a dying man, made her a saintly person, and the "guardian angel" of the British Army.

But Florence Nightingale did more than that. She lit a lamp that is known as "The light that never fails" in the relief of suffering in war and peace.

When the Red Cross asks the people of Canada for funds to continue the multitudinous duties of the society the appeal will not be in vain, for they know what this comforting "lamp" means in a world darkened by destruction and tragedy.

Huge Sum Needed By Red Cross for All War Purposes

Since September, 1939, the Canadian Red Cross Society has spent about sixteen millions to provide free gifts for members of the armed forces, prisoners of war, British air-raid victims and disaster relief.

This huge sum has been provided from the free gifts of Canadians everywhere.

Altogether the Canadian Red Cross had a total membership of 2,060,910 at the end of 1941, or about one in every five of the total population. In addition—although probably included in this total membership—an estimated 750,000 Canadian women are donating their services free to Red Cross work. This total also includes the members of Junior Red Cross branches in practically every city, town or village across the Dominion.

The campaign to replenish the Canadian Red Cross funds starts on May 11. Victorians are being asked to subscribe $90,000.

Concert Given at Services Canteen

The Saskatchewan Concert Party featuring the Victoria Girls' Pipe Band, under the leadership of Miss Nellie Small, presented a delightful programme at the Three Services Canteen, Broad Street, on Thursday evening. The entertainers appeared in beautiful costumes and the programme included selections by the pipe band, songs, dances, piano and violin numbers, and community singing. Mrs. L. Cockrell was the accompanist, and Mr. J. E. Cooper was master of ceremonies.

Victory Fair Offers Unique Amusements

Nothing like the United Nations Victory Fair has ever been held in Victoria before. Those who long to see the sunny skies of Mexico and bask in an atmosphere of music and gaiety may do so at the fair. A little bit of old Mexico has been transplanted to the Crystal Garden for a day, and here bright-eyed senoritas will serve chile con carne, and show the treasures brought back from the "Mannaland" south of the Rio Grande; or, still farther south, and patrons will find themselves in the amazing village of Cuzco, home of the Incas, high up in the Andes, then visit the market place of a South American village, and drink the national beverage served by girls in the chola pink embroideries of South American Indians.

Amazing and valuable treasures have been gathered from the ends of the earth, and will be shown, each in its proper place, at the fair. Women in the exquisite sarongs of Java, and dark eyed girls in the gold bordered saris of India will display these treasures and tell their story.

But if travel is not attractive, and one longs for the good old days, they too will be found at the fair. All the charm of the gay nineties will be recaptured when bathing belles will appear in the stockings and serge considered the only suitable garb for modest maidens. There will be cycling and walking costumes, and for contrast the stream-lined riding clothes of today will be shown, on handsome models.

If patrons crave even more excitement than all this, at the fair on Tuesday they will find it is Klondike Night, and will be given an opportunity to lose their "pokes" in a game of chance. The sky is the limit on Klondike Night, and bearded miners and tough prospectors will show patrons how it's done. The lady known as Lou will be there also, though maybe she's a little old to dance the can-can now.

Sitting down quietly some place after all this, visitors can have tea as it is served in Belgium, or coffee as it's brewed only in Jugoslavia. If weight is no object they can try real Dutch cocoa served by rosy Hollanders against a background of tulips.

But the best is saved for the last—the Royal Canadian Air Force Band will get even octogenarians to their feet anxious to try the latest rhythms on the Crystal Garden's dance floor. Victorians, young and old, are invited to come to the fair and dance for victory.

To Hold Anniversary Tea at Lake Hill

The Lake Hill Catholic Women's League will sponsor an anniversary tea in the Community Hall this afternoon, following the Pontifical Benediction to be celebrated at the Sacred Heart Church by Bishop John C. Cody, on the occasion of the seventh anniversary of the opening of the church. Benediction will be at 3 p.m. and all interested friends are invited to attend.

Witty Kitty

An optimist is she who thinks she has a ghost of a chance of seeing what's ahead.

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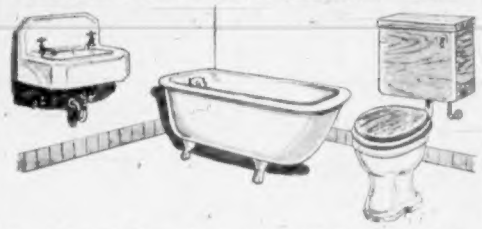

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St. Margaret's School Has Old Girls' Reunion

Luncheon Precedes Annual Meeting—Mrs. F. R. Gow Welcomed From Halifax and Gives Short Address—Play Presented During Evening

Over seventy former pupils of St. Margaret's School gathered at the school yesterday for the annual reunion, the day's programme starting with breakfast for out-of-town members, followed by the reunion luncheon, annual meeting, basketball match and tea. The retiring president, Miss Felicity Grant, presided at the luncheon served in the school dining-room, the tables and general decorations in the dining-room and common room carrying out the school colors, red and white. White lilac and red tulips were effectively used in the decoration.

THE TOASTS

The toast to the King was proposed by Miss Felicity Grant; Mrs. E. H. W. Elkington proposed the toast to the school and expressed the association's good wishes to the 1942 matriculation class, on behalf of whom Joan Clark responded. Mrs. P. G. Hart proposed the toast to Miss Barton, former headmistress of the school, from whom a cable of greetings had been received from London. In reply to her message a cable was forwarded to Miss Barton.

ANNUAL MEETING

After luncheon the members adjourned to the common room, where the annual meeting was held. Miss Felicity Grant welcomed the members and expressed the association's thanks to Miss Pearce, the headmistress, for her hospitality and for the cordial welcome accorded all the members. Miss Helen Cornwall, the secretary-treasurer, gave an account of the past year's activities, of the scholarship fund and the dance held at Christmas. She introduced Mrs. F. R. W. R. Gow, formerly Miss Jean Donald, who is here from Halifax, and Mrs. Gow gave a most interesting account of life in Halifax during wartime, dealing specially with her work in connection with the work of the Naval Vessels Reading Service, which she organized. Mrs. F. R. Nixon, formerly Miss Nora Tolson, who had also been instrumental in forming the reading service, was among those present at the reunion. Miss Joanne Oliver, representing the Vancouver Branch of St. Margaret's Old Girls' Association, and Miss Kay Kamm, of Portland, brought greetings and were given a special welcome. On behalf of the Vancouver branch, Miss Oliver presented a book to the school library.

Miss Pearce gave a resume of the school's year, telling of the war work which had been done; the craft fair had netted the sum of $520 for the Queen's Canadian Fund; the gymnastic display and the school magazine had brought in $160 for the Red Cross; afghans and other comforts had been made; salvage collected and the Christmass service had been the means of collecting seeveral bales of Christmas gifts which were forwarded to a parish in the drought area of Saskatchewan, many letters of thanks being received in acknowledgment.

OFFICERS ELECTED

The following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Miss Barbara Bullock-Webster; first vice-president, Mrs. H. R. Townshend, formerly Miss Dorothy Boggs; second vice-president, Miss Rosemary Williams; secretary (re-elected), Miss Helen Cornwall; treasurer, Miss Norah Cornwall; entertainment committee, Misses Rosemary Williams, Norah Cornwall and Yvonne Louden.

The basketball match between the Old and Present Girls resulted in victory for the former team. Last evening the girls of the Sixth Form presented a play, "The Feast of the Little Lanterns," in the school gymnasium, parents and friends as well as many members of the Old Girls' Association attending.

Among those present at the luncheon and tea were Mesdames Norman Yarrow, G. C. Grant, Arthur J. Ross, L. D. Jones, H. M. Morten, W. C. Merston, H. R. Townshend, Ainslie Helmcken, Andrew Mellin, W. B. Leach, Rodney Keller, Gordon Cameron, Eric Quainton, P. G. Hart, E. H. W. Elkington, J. S. Woods, M. E. Godson.

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Was Married at St. Matthias

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MRS. COLIN STEWART

Formerly Miss Marguerite Elizabeth (Betty) Burns, whose marriage to Pte. Colin Stewart, R.C.O.C., took place at St. Matthias' Church on Wednesday morning. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Burns, and granddaughter of the late Dr. and Mrs. D. B. Holden, of this city.

ENGAGEMENTS

LAWRENCE—READY

Mr. and Mrs. J. Ready, 635 Langford Street, announce the engagement of their second daughter, Dorothy, to Able Seaman Frank Lawrence, R.C.N.V.R., son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lawrence, Toronto. The wedding will take place at the end of May.

GRAY—MOTTERSHEAD

Lieut. and Mrs. Herbert Mottershead, 893 St. Patrick Street, Oak Bay, announce the engagement of their younger daughter, Kathleen Anne, to Mr. Gerald B. Gray, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Gray, William Head. The wedding will take place in June at St. Barnabas' Church.

COOPER—HANNEUSE

The engagement is announced of Miss Marie Hanneuse, Victoria, formerly of Keating, to Mr. W. S. Cooper, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Cooper, Colwood. The wedding will take place in June.

FULTON—CAMERON

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cameron, 2734 Avebury Avenue, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Helen Dingwall, to Sergt.-Observer William Fulton, R.C.A.F., eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. G. Fulton, Mount Lehman, B.C. The wedding will take place at Hollywood Presbyterian Hall this month.

Clubs and Societies

Daughters of England

Lodge Primrose No. 32 met recently in the S.O.E. Hall, Mrs. G. Jennings in the chair. Mrs. Baker, the worthy president and several members of Princess Alexandra Lodge No. 45 were present and welcomed by Mrs. Jennings. It was decided to send cigarettes to the members' husbands and sons serving with Canadian forces overseas. Mrs. E. J. Headdy gave a splendid report on the Primrose tea, which was a great success. The convener of the war work reported several garments had been turned in for shipment by the Overseas League. After the meeting an enjoyable social evening was held. Several members and friends took part in the programme. The pillow slips were won by Mrs. A. Skinner. The next meeting will be held on May 8 in the S.O.E. Hall at 8 p.m. Drill practice will be held on Tuesday, May 12, at 2 p.m.

Entertained at Tea

Miss Nona Butts, former Victoria Pro Rec instructress, was the guest of honor at a tea given by her sisters, Mrs. R. Birtwistle and Mrs. M. Williams, at the home of the latter, on Lovatte Avenue, recently. Miss Butts will leave on Tuesday evening for Eastern Canada, where she will join the R.C.A.F. (W.D.). Forty guests assembled to wish her good luck, among them being fellow members of the Pro Rec classes. The rooms were decorated with mauve and white lilac, yellow tulips and narcissi. Refreshments were served from a table centred with mauve and yellow flowers.

Wilkinson Road W.A.

A successful "May Tea" was held on Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. Knight, Wilkinson Road, under the auspices of the Woman's Auxiliary of Wilkinson Road United Church. The rooms were decorated with Spring flowers and in the centre of the room a miniature Maypole, with variegated streamers, was placed. A number of contests were held during the afternoon, the winners of these being Mrs. A. Allison, Mrs. A. R. Stevenson and Mrs. C. Mouat. Vocal selections by Mrs. A. V. Simpson were greatly appreciated. Refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. A. J. Rainer and Mrs. A. R. Stevenson.

Woolworth Whiles

Over 300 guests were present at the enjoyable dance given by the girls of the Woolworth Whiles Club at the Crystal Garden recently when a popular orchestra supplied the music for dancing. The lucky guests winning the spot and quiz contests were presented with novelty gifts. Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Crawford were patrons of the dance and on the receiving committee were Mrs. Grace McLeod, Miss Ann Stevens, Miss Judy Carver and Miss Gloria Gill. Another dance will be held in the near future, when the servicemen will again be cordially invited.

Farewell Party

Miss Frances Borde entertained at her home on Friday evening in honor of Miss Nona Butts, who is leaving next week to join the R.C.A.F. (W.D.). During the evening the guest of honor was presented with a corsage of pink carnations and a fountain pen and pencil set. The invited guests included Mesdames K. S. Smith, J. Green, G. Joyce, M. Reglimbal, L. Palmer, J. White, C. Lewis, W. Fraser, N. Bouchard, R. Horsfield, M. Bartlett, A. Travis and Misses Nona Butts, Jean Howell, Helen Cook, Terry Lee-Warner and Frances Borde.

Channel Islands W. A.

The Women's Auxiliary to the B.C. Channel Islands Society will hold a special meeting on Wednesday at 2:30 p.m. in the Institute rooms, 635 Fort Street. Donations of clothing and odd pieces of wool and materials for quilts are urgently needed. Anyone wishing to help is asked to leave them with the caretaker of the Institute rooms. All ticket books for the tea cloth are to be turned in at this meeting. Members and all those interested are requested to attend as final arrangements will be made for the card party to be held on May 9.

Princess Patricia Lodge

At a business meeting of Princess Patricia Lodge, No. 238, Daughters of St. George, held on Friday evening at the clubrooms, plans were completed for a court whist drive to take place on Friday, May 15, at the S.O.E. Hall. Mrs. A. Cownden presided. The following committee was appointed to handle the affair: Mrs. E. Sparks, cards; Mrs. J. Mason and Mrs. K. Herring, refreshments. Members were asked to attend and to bring refreshments. Mrs. Thompson was awarded the silhouette picture in a recent contest.

United Church W.A.

The Woman's Association Presbytery of Victoria met at First United Church recently, the president, Mrs. F. H. Parsons, was in the chair, and representatives from Woman's Associations from the following United Churches gave reports: Belmont, Centennial, First, Fairfield, James Bay, Metropolitan, Oak Bay, St. Paul's, Sidney, and Victoria West. The Autumn meeting will be held on September 29 in the Fairfield United Church.

Oak Bay C.W.L.

The Altar Society of Our Lady of Lourdes Church and Oak Bay subdivision of the Catholic Women's League are holding their meeting at the home of Mrs. P. J. Nolan, 3290 Upper Terrace, the Uplands, tomorrow at 2:30 p.m. The election of officers will be held and members are reminded that C.W.L. dues will be collected.

T.B. Veterans W.A.

The Ladies' Auxiliary to the Tuberculous Veterans will hold a "Lilac tea" at the clubrooms, 812 Blanshard Street, on Thursday from 2:30 to 5 p.m. A hearty welcome is extended to all sister auxiliaries and all interested friends. The next regular meeting will be on May 14 at 2:30 p.m.

Leaves for Alberta

Mr. Donald McLeod, son of Rev. Hugh McLeod and Mrs. McLeod, Belmont Avenue, left yesterday for Waterways, Alberta, to take up his new position with the Mackenzie River Transport Co., of the Hudson's Bay. He will spend the Summer months in Alberta.

Ex-B.C. Telephone Operators

The ex-B.C. telephone operators will hold their monthly tea on Tuesday in David Spencer's dining-room at 2:30 p.m. All operators are asked to attend and give a rousing welcome to one of the former operators visiting here from California.

C.Y.O. Having Dance

The C.Y.O. is holding its annual dance on Thursday evening at the Crystal Garden. A popular orchestra will provide music for dancing from 9 to 1. Captain and Mrs. J. O'Toole have consented to act as patrons and admission will be by ticket only.

Newfoundland Club

The monthly meeting of the Newfoundland Club will be held tomorrow at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Noel, 1429 Richardson Street at 7:45 p.m. Further information may be obtained by telephoning Empire 4919.

Rockland Park W.C.T.U.

The Rockland Park W.C.T.U. will meet at the home of Mrs. Frank Twamley, 3341 Cedar Hill Road, tomorrow. Cars will be at the terminus of the Hillside car line at 2:30 for those attending. Mrs. Major McInnes will be the guest speaker.

Save the Children League

Group Two of the Save the Children League will hold a silver tea at the home of Mrs. R. A. Bell, 352 Moss Street, on Thursday from 3 to 5 p.m. in aid of the wool fund. Knitted articles will be displayed.

St. John's W.A.

The evening W.A. to St. John's Church will hold its meeting and hospital shower on Tuesday at 8 p.m. in the school auditorium. An interesting programme has been arranged.

Women's Benefit Association

The Women's Benefit Association will meet in the S.O.E. Hall, Broad Street, tomorrow at 8 p.m. Members are reminded of the health clinic at the Strathcona Hotel on May 5.

Princess Alexandra Lodge

Princess Alexandra Lodge, No. 18, Daughters of England, will meet on Thursday at 7:30 p.m. All officers are asked to meet at 7 o'clock for drill practice. Initiation will take place at the meeting.

Air Services W.A.

The Women's Auxiliary to the Air Services will meet at the Y.W.C.A. on Tuesday at 2:30 p.m. Members are asked to bring old magazines for the R.C.A.F. stations.

St. Alban's Senior W.A.

The Senior Women's Auxiliary to St. Alban's Church will meet on Tuesday in the church hall at 2:30 p.m. A 500 card party will be held at 8 p.m. on Wednesday.

Jubilee Junior W.A.

The Junior Women's Auxiliary to the Royal Jubilee Hospital will meet in the Nurses' Home tomorrow at 2:30 p.m.

St. Martin's Mothers' Union

The Mothers' Union of St. Martin's-in-the-Field will meet at the home of Mrs. Butterfield, 475 Obed Avenue, on Tuesday.

C.C.F. Saanich Council

The Saanich Women's C.C.F. Council will meet on Tuesday at 2 p.m. in Room 6, Brown Building, Broad Street.

Missionary Circle

The regular meeting of the Missionary Circle of the Little Flower will be held in the parish hall on Tuesday at 8 p.m.

Moves From Esquimalt

Miss Ethel M. Watson, formerly of 984 Vaughan Street, Esquimalt, is now living at 2396 Estevan Avenue, Oak Bay.

Oak Bay United

The Oak Bay United Church W.A. will meet in the church parlor on Thursday at 2:45 p.m.

Hawthorn Circle

The Hawthorn Circle, King's Daughters, will meet at headquarters on Wednesday, at 8 p.m.

St. John's Guild

The business meeting of St. John's Ladies' Guild will be held tomorrow at 2:30 o'clock, in the Guild Room.

Wedding Will Take Place This Summer

—Photo by Meyers.

MISS D. M. CROWTHER

MRS. William G. Carey, 930 Metchosin Street, announces the engagement of her only daughter, Doreen Mary Crowther, to Mr. Charles R. J. Hibbett, James Island, only son of the late Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hibbett, Georgetown, P.E.I. The wedding will take place on July 4, at 8 p.m. at St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay.

Actor's Daughter Marries Canadian

WESTCOTT, Surrey, England, May 2 (CP).—Leslie Ruth Howard, only daughter of the actor, Leslie Howard, and Captain Dale Harris, of Toronto, were married today in nearby Wooton Church. Harris, member of a field regiment of the Royal Canadian Artillery, is the son of Mrs. Dale Harris.

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In Woman's Realm

University Club Hears Dr. Turville

The hardships which are being endured by university women of Europe and praise of their heroic example of determination and pluck while suffering unmerited pain were spoken of by Dr. Dorothy Turville, president of the Canadian Federation of University Women, in her address to the local club at a reception held in her honor at the home of Dr. Olga Jardine, Despard Ave ue, on Friday evening.

Dr. Turville extended greetings from the Edmonton club and from the university women of London, Ont., where she is professor of romance languages and adviser to women at the University of Western Ontario. She emphasized the power which the Canadian Federation of University Women could exert in stimulating national unity, in fostering human kindness and toleration, and in wielding an influence for good.

In contrast to the enforced reduction of organized work on the continent, Dr. Turville pictured the outstanding activity of the twenty-seven clubs in Great Britain both in regular club-work and in war activities. Miss Bbwle, of England, treasurer of the International Federation, is now the only international officer free to function actively.

The speaker reviewed the special activities of the Canadian clubs, particularly in rehabilitating women from war-devastated areas, in caring for children evacuated from Britain, in providing scholarships for graduate research and for undergraduate study and in participating in Red Cross and other war work.

Miss Patricia Hamilton Smith, president of the local club, thanked the speaker. Miss Dorothy Cruickshank reported that the Victoria club had raised approximately $100 in the last two weeks for the Mrs. Winston Churchill Fund.

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Date of Annual Rededication Is Set by Nurses

Since Canada's War Memorial was unveiled in Ottawa, Remembrance Day ceremonies are held at the memorial rather than, as formerly, at the Parliament Buildings. It has become customary for the Canadian Nurses' Association and the Overseas Nursing Sisters' Association of Canada to arrange for a brief service before the Nurses' National Memorial in the Hall of Fame, immediately following the annual Remembrance Day ceremonies on Parliament Hill.

Due to change in place for the National Remembrance Day ceremonies, the Canadian Nurses' Association conferred with the Overseas Nursing Sisters' Association as to the commemoration being observed throughout this Dominion on a date of special significance to nurses.

As a result of discussion by the two national organizations, a vesper service will be held this year on Sunday, May 10. It is requested that all graduate nurses and the graduating classes in schools of nursing throughout Canada attend this service, which should serve as a rededication of nurses to nursing.

In Victoria this service will be held at the First United Church and at St. Andrew's Cathedral, so that all nurses of both faiths may have the opportunity of attending.

All graduate nurses are requested to make an effort to be present at these services at 7.15 p.m. School pins and medals will be worn.

Weavers' Guild Holds Display

The display and anniversary tea held yesterday by the Victoria Hand Weavers' Guild in the Business and Professional Women's Club rooms, Union Building, attracted over 100 visitors, who showed the keenest interest in the beautiful weaving of all kinds which was exhibited by the members.

The display had been arranged by Miss Marjorie Hill, and the many examples of locally-made as well as loaned pieces was seen to advantage. One of the outstanding pieces of work was a pair of curtains woven by Mrs. Beyer, in shades of fawn and henna, with a pine tree border design. There were some exquisite scarves of the card weaving and inkle loom types. Mrs. Findlay gave an exhibition of spinning. Mrs. McGregor was at the inkle loom; Miss Knevitt showed the intricacies of card weaving, and Miss Hill was at her large loom on which was a piece of beautiful Swedish type weaving in lace effect.

Other exhibits which attracted attention was a length of coat material woven by Mrs. Flight; Mrs. Anstey's check material; Mrs. J. L. White's rug; Mrs. Paul McGarry's new knitting bag in a novel design, and Mrs. Maud King's strikingly beautiful scarves.

The visitors were attracted by the little board loom and the woven rug for a doll's house, made by children between the ages of four and six at the Victoria Nursery School. The children had spun and dyed the wool themselves and had made the spindle for the loom.

Tea was served during the afternoon, Mrs. Paul McGarry presiding at the table. Mrs. Anstey, Mrs. Beyer, Mrs. Flight and Miss Anstey assisted in serving. A substantial sum was realized for the guild's war project.

SHORT

The teacher had asked the class to write an essay on "Our Dog." Young Jimmy was the first to finish. His effort read: "Our Dog. We haven't got one."

Victoria Girl Sends Thanks To Red Cross

Expressions of appreciation for the articles sent by the Red Cross have been received by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Moffatt, and the Victoria Chapter, Registered Nurses' Association of British Columbia, from Miss Ida C. Moffatt, R.N., the first registered nurse to leave Victoria for the theatre of war and who is now serving in the Queen Alexandra Imperial Nursing Service with the Middle East Forces.

Letter dated October 1, 1941—"The sisters live in a compound with a fence around it—about thirty-two huts, with a hut for our mess and one for our sitting-room, which is nicely furnished by the Red Cross."

Letter dated October 14, 1941—"The Y.W.C.A. and the Red Cross are wonderful institutions—one sees the good they do out here."

Letter dated November 9, 1941—"I have the greatest respect for the Red Cross, St. John Ambulance and the Y.W.C.A. One has to live out here under these conditions to appreciate their efforts and one certainly sees the result of their work. One doesn't see the good they do at home.

"The Red Cross have furnished our sitting-room and supplied other things for all sisters."

Linen Shower Will Be Held At Orphanage

The annual linen shower at the British Columbia Protestant Orphanage will be held on Thursday from 3 to 6 p.m. at the orphanage, when members of the ladies' committee will serve tea. The president, Mrs. Rita McTavish Hughes, will welcome the guests, assisted by Mrs. William Dinsmond, vice-president. Mrs. Walter Luney will have charge of the tea arrangements. All donations of linen will be gratefully received. Reminding the public that the orphanage depends entirely on public contributions, the committee makes its appeal again this year, feeling sure that the friends of past years will continue their generosity.

Will Hold First Aid Post Shower

Mrs. A. J. Robert, 2621 Richmond Avenue, wishes to announce that a "first-aid essentials" shower will be held at the home of Mrs. A. J. Robert, 2621 Richmond Avenue, on Saturday May 16, from 2:30 to 5:30 p.m. Contributions to equip this first-aid point and others in the area will be received by the nurse in charge, Mrs. Sidney Roberts. The following articles are urgently required: Blankets, rubber sheeting, bed linen, hot water bottles, towels, pillows, disenfectant, white oilcloth, washable mats, canned milk and soup and old enamelware. A wartime tea will be served.

Flowers and Plants To Be Sold at Fair

A stall of beautiful cut flowers and plants ready for the garden will be an attraction at the United Nations Victory Fair to be held on Tuesday at the Crystal Garden under the auspices of the Women's Canadian Club and the Kinsmen Club. Mrs. C. H. Orme will be in charge of the stall and reports that some particularly beautiful specimens have been promised, including a large donation of plants from the gardens of Government House and the Empress Hotel. A special feature will be Monterey cypress plants and fuchsias ready for planting in window boxes or hanging baskets.

Y.P.S. News

UNITED CHURCH

On Sunday evening, May 10, the United Church young people have been invited to be the guests of Metropolitan Church at an evening rally. Clifford Batstone and Dick Johnson will assist Rev. Dr. A. E. Whitehouse at the evening service. After the service Metropolitan young people will act as hosts in a social hour. All young people and especially boys in the armed forces are invited to attend.

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MARGARET HUGHES

THE eleven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Hughes, Pine Street, Nanaimo, has been elected by popular vote of her school chums, which includes all city schools and Brechin and Harewood Schools, May Queen for Nanaimo and district for 1942-43. Margaret attends Hodgson School. Her maids of honor will be Mary Cairns, Harewood School, and Jean Peake, Brechin School. Her flower girl will be Jeannie Devereaux, of St. Ann's Convent. The crowning ceremony will take place on the Central Sports Grounds early in the afternoon, May 25, and will be followed by a programme of children's sports.

★ WEDDINGS ★

GUILLE—EVANS

Rev. A. Bischlager officiated at the wedding of Lorna Noreen, elder daughter of Chief Petty Officer and Mrs. O. H. Evans, 507 Niagara Street, and Gunner Ernest Nicholas Guille, R.C.A., son of Mr. and Mrs. William John Guille, Killarney, Man., which was solemnized in St. Barnabas' Church at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Apple blossom, mingled with assorted Spring flowers, had been arranged on the chancel screen and on the window ledges, and baskets of the blooms flanked the chancel steps. Mr. Stanley A. Halling, Duncan, played the wedding music, and Mrs. J. H. Blyth, Cobble Hill, sang during the signing of the register. In the absence of the bride's father, who is on active service, she was given in marriage by Mr. C. P. Smith, an old family friend, and looked lovely in the Empire-style gown worn at the marriage of her grandmother, by Mrs. Jennie McDonald, Duncan, who was present at the wedding. The gown of heavily embroidered ivory net over satin was floor length and finished with a square neckline and tight elbow sleeves trimmed with ruffles of lace. She also wore ivory lace gloves and her finger-tip veil was caught at the back of her curls with a band of orange blossoms. Her only jewelry was a sunburst pendant, a gift from her grandmother. Cream roses, pale pink carnations and mauve and white sweet peas showered with forget-me-nots, composed the bridal bouquet. The bridesmaid was Miss Patricia Page, in a pretty frock of French blue and white silk, worn with a smart blue hat and veil and she carried a bouquet of blue iris, pale pink snapdragons and hyacinths. The bride's little sister, Sylvia Joy Evans, the junior attendant, in a white taffeta frock and poke bonnet, carried a Victorian posy in her lace-gloved hands. Mr. L. McCorkle was best man, and to pews marked with Colonial nosegays tied with ribbon the guests were escorted by Mr. Warwick Burgess. During a reception at the home of the bride, Mrs. Evans welcomed the guests in an Oxford grey suit with a rose hat and blouse, grey accessories and a corsage bouquet of pink and white carnations. The young couple stood beneath a floral arch in a window embrasure in a room bright with flowers to receive their friends, and after the toast to the bride had been proposed by Mr. C. P. Smith, she cut the cake, which had been made by her mother. Vases of white flowers and tall white tapers graced the refreshment table, which was covered with a Madeira cloth. After a honeymoon spent at the Maple Bay Inn, Gunner and Mrs. Guille will return to Victoria to reside.

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ELLETT—FAULKNER

Rev. F. R. G. Dredge officiated at the wedding of Doris May, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Faulkner, 1051 Tattersal Drive, and Mr. Jack Meredyth Ellett, only son of Mr. J. Ellett and the late Mrs. Ellett, Saanichton, which took place in Oak Bay United Church at 8 o'clock last evening, with the organist in attendance. The bride was given away by her father, and wore a floor-length, full-skirted gown of white sheer with bishop sleeves and a finger-tip veil falling from a halo of orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of roses and sweet peas. Mrs. Henry Dahl, the matron of honor, was in a long gown of pink sheer with bishop sleeves and carried a bouquet of snapdragons and blue iris. Mr. Stanley Wright was best man and Messrs. C. and F. Faulkner were ushers. The reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, where a buffet supper was served at a table covered with a lace cloth and centred with a silver basket of tea roses between lighted pink and white candles. The wedding cake was on a smaller table flanked by vases of sweet peas. For a honeymoon on the Mainland the bride changed into a beige suit with brown and beige accessories and a corsage bouquet of lily of the valley and pink and red carnations. Mr. and Mrs. Ellett will make their home at 965 Mason Street. Mrs. C. Needham and Mrs. W. Klein, Vancouver, were guests at the wedding.

GRANT—YOUNG

The marriage between Eileen, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Young, 1209 Bay Street, and Mr. Eric Grant, second son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Grant, Torquay Drive, was solemnized by Rev. Father J. A. Gaudette at 8 o'clock last evening in the Bishop's House before a background of lilac and pink tulips. The bride was given away by her father and wore a light beige suit with a natural wolf collar, a small beige hat and a corsage bouquet of two gardenias. Miss Lorraine Tait attended her in a brown tweed costume with a fox collar, British tan accessories and a corsage bouquet of lily of the valley and rosebuds. Mr. Romaine Grant supported his brother. About forty guests were afterwards entertained at the home of the bride's parents, where white lilac and pink tulips predominated in the floral decorations. Mrs. Young was dressed in powder blue with a small hat, and Mrs. Grant in grey and blue with accessories to match, and both wore corsage bouquets of pink carnations. Vases of white carnations and white tapers adorned the supper table, which was centred with the cake. After a honeymoon in Vancouver, the bride will return to Victoria before joining her husband in Edmonton, where he will train with the R.C.A.F.

MONTESKI—BROWN

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Brown, Carrick Street, announce the marriage of their youngest daughter, Jean Struthers, to Mr. Albert Henry Monteski, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Monteski, Washington Avenue.

BETKER—GRAY

The marriage between Beryl Mary, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Gray, 1516 Redfern Street, and Mr. Edward Betker, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Betker, Morsehorn, Man., took place on Saturday evening, April 25, in the parlor of First Baptist Church, Rev. G. A. Reynolds officiating. The bride was given away by her father, and wore an afternoon frock of pale teal blue crepe, with the jacket-effect bodice edged around the hip line with fine pleated Valenciennes lace, which also outlined the yoke and neck. Her drooping brimmed hat of burnt straw was wreathed with tiny flowers, and sweet peas centred with gardenia composed her corsage bouquet. Miss Doreen Gray was her sister's bridesmaid in a frock of deep pink sheer crepe with a corsage bouquet of rosebuds and sweet peas, her hat and accessories being similar to those of the bride, and Mr. George H. Gilman was best man. The wedding music was played by Mrs. Reynolds. A large number of guests were present at the ceremony and the reception which followed at the home of the bride's parents. Mrs. Gray wore a gown of old rose novelty crepe with a corsage bouquet and accessories in blending tones. The supper table was centred with the cake, and decorated with flowers and ribbon in sweet pea shades. Mr. and Mrs. Betker will make their home in Victoria.

BUCKMASTER—FARWELL

DUNCAN, May 2.—St. Mary's Church, Somenos, was the scene of a pretty wedding this afternoon at 3 o'clock, when Rev. R. T. Archbold united in marriage Joan Edithe, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Farwell, Drinkwater Road, and Mr. John Burgess Buckmaster, only son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Buckmaster, Holmes Street, Duncan.

The church was attractively decorated for the ceremony with white tulips and Spring blooms. Mr. R. Howard was at the organ, and the ushers were Gerald Farwell and Alan Gadsden.

The bride, who was given away by her father, was lovely in her wedding frock of Queen's blue in redingote style, made with self colored buttons at the back and braided front, which was fastened with crystal buttons. She wore an off-the-face hat in blue straw with blue flowers and brief shoulder veil. Her lovely bouquet was made up of roses, snapdragon, carnation, maidenhair fern and a shower of forget-me-nots, sweet peas, heather and pansies.

Miss Babs Pollock, Victoria, was a pretty bridesmaid in her Maytime pink tunic over a black silk crepe pencil skirt, worn with a black picture hat and black accessories. Mr. Jack Halme, of Youbou, acted as best man.

A reception was held after the ceremony at the home of the bride's parents, which was gay with Spring flowers. The bride's table, covered with a lace cloth, was centred with a three-tier wedding cake, flanked by silver vases of pink tulips and forget-me-nots and tall mauve candles in silver candelabra.

Mrs. Farwell, the bride's mother, wearing a smart turquoise and violet frock with matching hat and accessories, and corsage of pink Ophelia roses, was assisted in receiving the guests by Mrs. Buckmaster, whose becoming dress of black sheer and matching hat was worn with a corsage of yellow rosebuds. The bride's toast was proposed by Mr. Roy Pearse.

Mr. and Mrs. Buckmaster left for a short honeymoon, after which they will make their home in Victoria. Mrs. Buckmaster wore a fitted wool beige polo coat with her wedding attire for traveling, and added a corsage bouquet of talisman rosebuds.

Among the out of town guests attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Blenkinsop and Miss Babs Pollock, of Victoria; Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Farwell, Comox, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Halme, Youbou.

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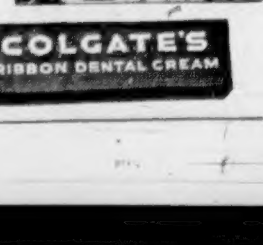

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MARINE and TRANSPORTATION

REFUGEE IS VERY HAPPY

Chance to Recoup Losses Converting Vessels Gives A. Bernstein Pleasure

SEATTLE, May 2 (AP).—A refugee who started on his way to millions by converting German warships into merchantmen after the First Great War is setting out to recoup his losses by the same method, turning scrapped warships into merchant vessels for the Allied war effort.

Arnold Bernstein has undertaken the job of converting the German-made Savannah, which became a United States submarine tender, into a merchant vessel for Uncle Sam's use.

[illegible] ransomed from Germany for $30,000 after two and a half years in a concentration camp is very happy about the prospect.

"This is the twenty-sixth ship I have reconstructed," he explained with surprising enthusiasm for a man who lists his loss to the Nazi Government in excess of $2,000,000. "I started with warships in Germany, and now I start at the same business from the bottom.

"Out of nothing I built a big fleet for Germany. Now it is a special pleasure to rebuild this old German vessel into a useful instrument to fight those rascals. This day when, as an American citizen, I am for the first time part owner of a vessel under the American flag, I am very happy."

The Savannah was too decrepit for life as a submarine tender. It was built as a German steamer in 1899. In 1917 it was seized in American waters and reconstructed as a sub tender by the navy.

The Savannah was sold for scrap several years ago, but Louis Dullen, president of the purchasing firm, hesitated to break it up. When the shipping shortage became acute, he and Bernstein joined hands to put the old vessel back onto its sea legs.

Before the Nazi ascension to power, Bernstein, a German Jew, operated 100,000 tons of Atlantic shipping—the Red Star and Arnold Bernstein Steamship Lines. Today there is nothing left of this shipping empire but memories, a few yellow clippings, the hull of a ship that was given up for scrap—and hopes.

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PLAN SALVAGE OF LAKE SHIP

Freighter Which Foundered In 1913 Storm May Sail Once More

TORONTO, May 2 (CP).—Plans to salvage the Charles Price, a freighter which foundered in Lake Huron during the famous Lakes gale of November 8-10, 1913, have raised conjecture in shipping circles here regarding the possibility of attempting salvage of other vessels lost in that storm, to help relieve the Lakes shipping shortage.

Thirteen vessels were lost during the forty-eight-hour blow, and shipping men believe that in addition to the Charles Price, four—the Wexford, Regina, James Carruthers and J. A. McGean—are salvage possibilities. Surveying operations prior to salvage attempts on the Charles Price will begin in Lake Huron off Sarnia, Ont., next week. The Charles Price is believed to have most of a 7,000-ton coal cargo she carried when the storm began.

The Carruthers, Regina, McGean and Wexford foundered off Goderich, but exact locations are not known and dragging operations to establish their positions would be necessary before salvage could be considered.

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Rainbow Sea Cadets

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Parades—Parades for the week ending May 10: Tuesday, May 5, the corps will parade at the Drill Hall at 19:30 hours; Thursday, May 7, No. 1 Class will parade at H.M.C.S. Naden I at 19:30 hours; Friday, May 8, the corps will parade at the Drill Hall at 19:30 hours; instructions as per syllabus; Sunday, May 10, special instruction at the Drill Hall.

Duties—Officer of the watch, W.O. J. McAllister; duty P.O., P.O. S. Brain; duty Q.M., May 5, J. Weber; May 8, Cdt. J. Bath; duty guard, May 5, D. Jickling; May 8, A. Seibel; duty bugler, May 5, Cdt. Dunnan; May 8, Cdt. Turner; duty signalman, May 5, Cdt. Clarke; May 8, Cdt. Clarke.

Notices—Re caps: White caps will be worn from May 1. Clothing: For the information of all concerned, the clothing store is closed and no more clothing will be issued until further notice. Wearing of uniform per parades: Uniforms must be worn at all parades; no ratings will be admitted into headquarters when not properly dressed. This order will be strictly enforced.

Church Parade—A church parade will be held on Sunday, May 17, at the First Baptist Church. Full particulars will be announced later.

W. H. H. SMITH, 1st Lieut.,
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NAVAL MAN MISSING

OTTAWA, May 2 (CP).—The Royal Canadian Navy in its seventy-ninth casualty list of the war today reported that Lieut. Ralph Crossley Ripley, Jr., of the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve, is missing on active service. Lieut. Ripley's father, Ralph Crossley Ripley, lives at Hamilton, Ont.

Lieut. Ripley is the 841st navy man officially reported dead or missing since the outbreak of war.

MAIL AND SHIPS

COASTING CRAFT

VICTORIA-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will leave Victoria daily for Vancouver at 8:20 p.m.; Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will arrive at Victoria daily from Vancouver at 3:45 p.m.; Ss. Princess Joan or Ss. Princess Elizabeth will leave Victoria daily for Vancouver at 12 midnight; Ss. Princess Joan or Ss. Princess Elizabeth will arrive at Victoria daily from Vancouver at 7 a.m., Saturdays only, there will be a special sailing from Victoria for Vancouver at 1:30 p.m.; Sundays only, there will be a special sailing from Vancouver for Victoria with 9:45 p.m. time of arrival.

VICTORIA-SEATTLE—Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 4:30 p.m.; Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will arrive at Victoria daily from Seattle at 12:30 p.m.; Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 9:15 a.m.; Ss. Iroquois will arrive at Victoria daily from Seattle at 8:35 a.m.

VICTORIA-PORT ANGELES—Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria for Port Angeles daily at 8:15 a.m.; Ss. Iroquois will arrive daily at Victoria from Port Angeles at 8:15 a.m.

SWARTZ BAY-SALT SPRING ISLAND—Ms. Cy Peck will leave Swartz Bay for Fulford Harbor daily, except Wednesday, at 9:30 a.m., 5 p.m. Ms. Cy Peck will leave Fulford Harbor for Swartz Bay daily, except Wednesday at 9:15 a.m., 4 p.m.

BRENTWOOD-MILL BAY—Ms. Cassaco will leave Brentwood for Mill Bay daily at 8 a.m., 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 2 p.m., 3 p.m., 4 p.m. Ms. Cassaco will leave Mill Bay for Brentwood daily at 8:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m., 2:30 p.m., 3:30 p.m., 4:30 p.m.

VICTORIA-GULF ISLANDS-VANCOUVER—Ss. Princess Mary will leave Victoria at 10:30 a.m., Tuesdays, for Vancouver via Gulf Islands. Ss. Princess Mary will arrive at Victoria via Gulf Islands at 8:30 p.m., Mondays.

NANAIMO-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Elaine will leave Nanaimo daily except Saturdays and Sundays for Vancouver at 7:30 a.m. and 2:45 p.m. Ss. Princess Elaine will leave Nanaimo on Saturdays only for Vancouver at 7:30 a.m., 2:45 p.m. and 9:15 p.m. Ss. Princess Elaine will leave Nanaimo on Sundays only for Vancouver at 2:45 p.m.

NANAIMO-GABRIOLA — Mr. Acreside will leave Canadian Pacific Wharf, Nanaimo, daily (except Wednesday) at 8:30 a.m. for Gabriola.

Losses of Naval Men Total 5,486 Dead and Missing

WASHINGTON, May 2 (AP).—The United States navy announced today the loss of 5,486 dead and missing in the first four months of naval warfare.

The casualty recapitulation, first of the war, included marine and coast guard personnel as parts of the navy and covered the period from December 7 to April 15 inclusive. It gave this summary: Dead, 2,991; missing, 2,495; wounded, 907; total, 6,393.

Officials said most of the casualties resulted from direct action with the enemy, but included some lost in accidents at sea, in the air, or on war duty. Natural deaths were not included. The total may be increased somewhat by late-arriving reports from distant war zones.

The four-month total was half again as large as the casualty figure for the entire first Great War, when some 3,500 officers and men were killed in action or lost.

It included the Pearl Harbor incident. The latest figures on Pearl Harbor came from President Roosevelt several weeks ago and gave the dead as 2,114 navy men and 226 soldiers.

Canadian Airmen Find Comfort in Sumptuous Home

WITH THE R.C.A.F. SOMEWHERE IN SCOTLAND, May 2 (CP).—War has thrown a group of Canadian airmen into the lap of luxury. Members of the Beaufighter Squadron of night fighters led by Sqdn. Ldr. Maurice Lipton, of Belleville, Ont., and Halifax, they live in a sumptuous three-story Scottish home, turned over by the owner for the duration of the war. It nestles at the foot of grass-carpeted hills and overlooks the sea.

Lipton, sipping tea in the "sea-view" dining-room, said, "I really don't see why I go away on leave—you couldn't find a nicer place anywhere."

Three golf courses are within a stone's throw of the home, which has two tennis courts. The library has an upright piano, radio and a dart board.

P.O. D. B. Freeman, of Calgary, sleeps in an attic room.

STUDY DIRECTOR HERE

In Victoria for the purpose of discussing with naval officers of the station matters concerning the preliminary organization of the naval college which is to be opened in October next, Lieut.-Commander K. G. B. Ketchum, R.C.N.V.R., is a guest at the Empress Hotel.

Lieutenant-Commander Ketchum, headmaster of St. Andrew's College, Aurora, Ontario, will be the director of studies at the Royal Canadian Naval College, Hatley Park.

TRY THIS ONE

"What is the difference between a jeweler and a jailer?"

"I don't know. What is it?"

"One sells watches and the other watches cells."

BACKACHE OFTEN WARNING

Backache may be the first sign of Kidney trouble. When your back aches, look to your kidneys. Don't fail to heed this warning—it is too important. Take prompt action to correct Backache, or its cause. At the first sign of Backache turn confidently to Dodd's Kidney Pills—for over half a century the favorite remedy for Kidney ailments.

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GOOD PRICES FOR HALIBUT

Landings of Fish at Northern Port Below 1941 Figures

PRINCE RUPERT, May 2 (CP).—The week of April 25-May 1 inclusive was the first of the season for substantial landings of halibut at Prince Rupert since the boats, although leaving around the opening date of April 15, were delayed in returning with their initial catches through stormy weather.

Landings for the week totaled 621,600 pounds, of which 227,600 pounds was from Canadian vessels and 394,000 pounds from American. This brought the total landings for the season to May 1 up to 702,500 pounds—246,000 pounds Canadian and 456,500 pounds American—far below the aggregate of 2,282,700 pounds; 1,140,200 pounds American and 1,142,500 pounds Canadian landed up to a corresponding date a year ago.

From a price standpoint 1942 has started off a good deal better than 1941. The top bid of the week for Canadian fish was 14.9 cents and 10 cents, which the Covenant received for 21,000 pounds, and the low 11 cents and 10 cents paid the Cape Race for 3,800 pounds.

For American fish the best price of the week was 15 cents and 10 cents which the Balder was paid for 16,000 pounds, and the low 11.5 cents and 10 cents which the Emma, Fanny B. and New Washington received for catches of 12,500, 5,500 and 45,000 pounds respectively.

CLUB HONORING VETERAN SAILOR

Royal Victoria Yachtsmen Will Pay Tribute to B. B. Temple at Opening Next Saturday

BEN. B. TEMPLE

Next Saturday, May 9, the Royal Victoria Yacht Club will commence its fiftieth year of yachting activities with appropriate ceremonies. There will be a sailing regatta during the afternoon, for which it is hoped there will be a large turnout of racing craft; while in the evening of the same day the club will sponsor a social programme, at which it is anticipated there will be even a much larger attendance than is expected for the daylight show.

For the evening occasion there will be refreshments and dancing. This part of the day's jubilation is being arranged mainly to do honor and pay tribute to one of the club's oldest members, B. B. Temple, who will celebrate his eightieth birthday on May 9.

A consistent supporter of the organization ever since he joined it in 1896, Ben E. Temple has never failed to be present at local and international regattas, either as racing man or official, through the intervening years, and has always been ready to give the younger members advice and encouragement in the matter of boat handling and equipment.

Axis Diplomats And Families Go Home Next Week

JERSEY CITY, May 2 (AP).—The "diplomat liner" Drottningham, with eighteen Swedish flags painted on her hull and superstructure, is expected to sail for Lisbon next week with 750 Axis diplomats, their families and servants.

G. Hilmer Lundbeck, resident director of the Swedish American Line, set the probable sailing for Tuesday or Thursday after boarding the company's boat when she docked yesterday with 134 passengers from Gothenburg. The list included 114 Americans who had been living in Norway and Sweden but there were no diplomats.

The voyage, the first in a diplomat exchange plan, was approved in advance by Germain-Italian and British officials.

The Drottningholm will return from Lisbon with American diplomats and their wives.

FLYER CRITICALLY ILL

SEATTLE, May 2 (AP).—Joseph Crosson, thirty-eight, famous Alaska "mercy flyer," was critically ill of an arterial ailment tonight at Columbus Hospital where he was taken two weeks ago. He moved here from Fairbanks two years ago as an official of Pacific Alaska Airways.

BOUND FOR SKAGWAY

Taking over the Alaska run for the Summer months, the B.C. Coast Service Ss. Princess Louise left Vancouver at 8 o'clock Friday evening bound for Skagway. The Louise took over from the Ss. Princess Norah.

FIRST HAND

The country vicar was nailing some trellis-work up in his garden, when he chanced to look up and saw a London evacuee boy watching him. With a pleasant smile he said:

"Well, my little man, are you interested in woodwork or gardening?"

"Nor me, guv'nor," said the boy. "I'm just waiting to see what a person says when 'e 'its 'is thumb."

TWENTY-NINE FLYERS NAMED

R.C.A.F. Casualty List Includes Killed, Missing and Injured Airmen

OTTAWA, May 2 (CP).—Two men were listed as killed on active service overseas, ten as missing after overseas air operations and five as killed on active service in Canada in today's Royal Canadian Air Force casualty list, 254th of the war. Today's list also gave the names of one man previously reported missing overseas, now reported killed on active service, one previously reported dangerously injured overseas, now reported died on active service, and ten previously reported missing overseas, now for official purposes presumed dead. Following is the latest list of casualties:

Overseas, killed on active service, Sgt. Jacob Adam Schweitzer, Regina; Sgt. James Patrick Williams, Montreal. Previously reported missing, now reported killed on active service, Sgt. William Ian Meech, North Sydney, N.S. Previously reported dangerously injured, now reported died on active service, P.O. John McFarlane, Windsor, Ont.

Previously reported missing, now for official purposes presumed dead, P.O. Herbert James Cook, Shawinigan Falls, Que.; P.O. Thomas Douglas Holden, J15097, H. W. A. Holden (father), 396 Reeves Road, Chilliwack, B.C.; P.O. Donald Smith McDonald, Saskatoon; P.O. Joseph Allan Robinson, Northmount, Ont.; P.O. John Cayley Wilson, Summerside, P.E.I.; Flt.-Sgt. William Scott Barclay, Toronto; Flt.-Sgt. William Taylor Shaver, Lunenburg, Ont.; Sgt. John Alterson Punnichy, Sask.; Sgt. Henry Mair Joseph Jacques Armand Merrill, Westmount, Que.; Sgts. Charles Arthur Whidden, Beechy, Sask.

Missing after air operations, Arthur William Abbott, Herschel P.O., Sask.; P.O. Phil Clive Budd, Toronto; P.O. Russell John Majeau, Edmonton; W.O. Denis Brien McGrath, Fort Garry, Man.; W.O. Grenville Charles Onyett, Huntsville, Ont.; Flt.-Sgt. Leslie Neills Hodgins, Ottawa; Flt.-Sgt. James William Ralston, St. Stephen, N.B.; Flt.-Sgt. Joseph Albert Richard, Middle Sackville, N.B.; Sgt. Joseph Pierre Gaston Blanchet, Three Rivers, Que.; Sgt. James Arthur Esterbrooks Romas, Halifax.

Canada, killed on active service, Flt.-Sgt. Donald Herio Patenall, Calgary; Sgt. Gordon Wesley Burkholder, Belleville, Ont.; Cpl. Henry Francis McGuire, Cobourg, Ont.; L.A.C. Maurice Robert Davis, Randolph, Mass.; L.A.C. Herman Carl George Kleinau, Chicago.

PRISONER OF WAR

LONDON, May 2 (AP).—Lt.-Col. A. C. Newman, thirty-seven-year-old commando officer who led the March 27 raid on St. Nazaire, is a prisoner of war, his wife was informed last night. Newman, a former middleweight fighter, was last seen by his comrades as he jumped ashore from the explosives-laden destroyed Campbeltown just before the former American warship was blown up in the dock-gate at the Nazi-occupied French port.

EDDY-TORIAL

on

Eddy's ANNUAL MAY SALE at 1661 DOUGLAS

(Which Is Opposite "The Bay")

Editorials should only be written on subjects of major importance, and an EDDY-TORIAL is always of major importance to the majority of ladies in and around Victoria. And we venture to say that our Annual May-Sale will top the list this coming week for opportunity with a Capital "O" and an extra "Oh" as each stunning value is discovered. Just a few highlights today for action tomorrow.

REDINGOTES

Beautifully made and finished in blue or black crepe, and in all sizes. Believe It or Not..... $3.95

BAGS

Genuine Leather, Leatherette, Fabric. A style, a color, a fabric to suit every fancy and every costume. Values up to $2.95. Now all..... $1.49

BLOUSES

Think of it, but don't think too long! Satins, Sheers, Crepes, white and pastels. Values to $2.95. Now $1.07

COATS

Lovely imported Tweeds that will feel quite superior in any circle. Every weave and color, all satin lined. Sizes 12 to 42. Regular values $24.95—now going at $16.95

Polo Cloth Coats, regular values $14.95, now only $10.88

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Fine Lisle, three good shades. Form fashioned. Every pair perfect. Only..... 49¢

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About the new Helen Harper Sweaters. A wonderful new selection just arrived. Twin Sets, and Cardigan and Pull-over "Sloppies."

EDDY SHOPPING HOURS—9:30 to 6

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OF ALL TOOTH PASTES AND POWDERS

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Plays and Players

Norma Shearer Appears In Comedy at Dominion

Norma Shearer and Melvyn Douglas, both accomplished ballroom dancers, were required to improve their form to a point where it became almost professional for their starring roles in "We Were Dancing," now showing at the Dominion Theatre. Appearing in the supporting cast are Gail Patrick, Lee Bowman, Marjorie Main, Reginald Owen, Alan Mowbray and Florence Bates.

The film introduces Miss Shearer and Douglas as a pair of impoverished refugees of noble heritage living in America on their titles. They fall in love on sight and elope.

This shatters the girl's chances to improve her fortune by marriage to a wealthy attorney, played by Bowman, and at the same time makes her way of living more difficult. Society was happy to accept both her and Douglas as individuals for the practical reason that they were excellent extra guests at a party. Married they become just another couple and less welcome. They pretend to be single to meet the problem.

Miss Patrick reveals the marriage, however, and they're in trouble again. One mishap leads to another and presently to divorce, with Bowman acting as the attorney. He and Miss Shearer are all prepared to be married when Douglas enters her life again, forcing her to the realization that her ex-husband is still the man with whom she loves to dance.

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JOS CALLEIA AND BIG CAST
Released thru United Artists

THEY ARE WALKING 2 MILES to see this Thrilling SHOW

PLAZA Feature at 12:01, 2:49, 4:37, 6:55, 9:13
OAK BAY Feature at 6:55, 9:13

Extra! THE WORLD IN ACTION A NEW SERIES
"INSIDE FIGHTING RUSSIA"
Why was Russia the First Country to tear up Hitler's time table?
Where did she get the fighting power that staggered the world?
When did she prepare the defence that stopped Nazi hordes in their tracks?
HERE ARE THE ANSWERS

PRISCILLA LANE IN NEW MUSICAL

Richard Whorf Plays Male Lead in "Blues in the Night"—Strong Supporting Cast

Priscilla Lane, Betty Field and Richard Whorf head the cast of "Blues in the Night," which will open on Monday, at the Atlas Theatre.

"It is a tightly-knit dramatic tale of a bunch of youngsters who forge their own band to play the kind of blues which they believe to be the true folk music of America.

Richard Whorf has the role of the pianist who organizes the group. Priscilla Lane is cast as the singer and "little mother," whose faith and courage keeps the band together and Betty Field, plays the selfish, heartless night club hostess.

Others include Lloyd Nolan, Jack Carson, Wallace Ford and Howard da Silva.

"THE BIG GUY" ON RIO SCREEN

Thrilling Film Starring Victor McLaglen and Jackie Cooper Combines Action and Drama

Scoring impressively in a story which combines dramatic force with rapid action and emotional suspense, Victor McLaglen and Jackie Cooper co-star in Universal's "The Big Guy," which will open on Monday, at the Rio Theatre.

"The Big Guy" is an intimate and human story which gains strength and power through the direct simplicity of its telling.

McLaglen, as the prison warden, is torn between the desire to keep a fortune in stolen money, or reveal evidence which would save the life of an innocent youth, Cooper.

Other principal roles are taken by Ona Munson, Peggy Moran, Ed Brophy and Alan Davis.

WAYS AND MEANS

"I believe you'd rather sit playing cards with dad than take me out!"

"No, darling, but we must have money to get married on."

Unimpressed by Gobs

Dorothy Lamour is pretending to be unimpressed by the kisses of those two gay gobs, William Holden and Eddie Bracken, but she drops the hauteur in "The Fleet's In," new Paramount comedy with music, which will open tomorrow at the Capitol Theatre.

"Susan and God" Stars Joan Crawford at York

Joan Crawford, the star who was the surprise hit of "The Women," joins forces again with the director, producer and scenarist of that production, George Cukor, Hunt Stromberg and Anita Loos, in "Susan and God," picturization of the celebrated Rachel Crothers' stage success, which co-stars Frederic March and opens on Monday, at the York Theatre.

Cast in support is an impressive group of players including Ruth Hussey, Rita Hayworth, Nigel Bruce and John Carroll.

The story revolves around Susan, who has neglected her own family responsibilities in her enthusiasm for converting her friends to the new social movement. Gradually she antagonizes all her intimates and finds herself faced by a divorce which she does not want and losing the new-found love of her child. She is forced to fall back on the faith which she so birthely discussed without understanding it, to pull her through. Hilarious comedy combines with highly dramatic situations to provide one of the season's outstanding pieces of entertainment.

"The Fleet's In" Opens Monday on Capitol Bill

Tuneful, gay and packed to the gunwales with star talent and popular entertainment, Paramount's new comedy with music, "The Fleet's In," will open on Monday, at the Capitol Theatre.

"The Fleet's In" brings back to the screen that always welcome eyeful, Dorothy Lamour, who is one of the starring triumvirate rounded out by William Holden and Chipper Eddie Bracken.

The fun starts off early with William Holden manoeuvred by his shipmates, led by Eddie Bracken, into the situation of having to win a bet that he'll be able to kiss Dorothy Lamour, a hard-to-get ballroom entertainer, before his shore leave is up. Of course, Holden wins in this contest for a kiss. It's a complete victory, too, because he marries the girl.

The situations brought about by these affairs are laugh-loaded. Adroitly worked into the story are seven swell melodies, sung by the principals, and played by Jimmy Dorsey's orchestra.

Included in the assemblage of entertainment stars which help to make "The Fleet's In" the bright, musical and hilarious craft it is, are that blonde fireball, Betty Hutton, who is known far and wide as America's Number One Jitterbug; Betty Jane Rhodes, a singer of exceptional talent and pulchritude; Leif Erickson, ever-popular screen favorite and Jimmy Dorsey and his orchestra.

TYRONE POWER STARS IN CADET AIR SAGA

The 20th Century-Fox production, "A Yank in the R.A.F.," the top hit of the season, will open tomorrow at the Cadet Theatre.

With Tyrone Power as the flying Yank, giving his finest performance to date, and Betty Grable, as a London night club entertainer, proving her ability as a dramatic actress in addition to singing and dancing, this first film about Britain's gallant fighting men of the sky shows them at work and at play.

More than a thousand players are used in the spectacular scenes in the evacuation of Dunkirk. Some actual combat films from the archives of the R.A.F. were used in this picture.

John Sutton, Reginald Gardiner and Gladys Cooper complete the featured cast.

ENEMY FISHING TRICK

VALETTA, Malta, May 2 (AP)—An authoritative statement issued here today said foreign reports that a United States aircraft carrier manned by Americans was operating in the Mediterranean constituted "a patent attempt by the enemy to extract information."

HIS DEBT

"Your husband's very fond of yachting?"

"Well, not what you'd call fond of it, as it makes him feel pretty bad at times, but, you see, he made his money out of fish, and he feels he owes it to the sea."

"Why are you wearing spectacles, old chap?"

"Well, through crossword puzzles. I've contracted an optical defect. One eye travels vertically and the other horizontally."

Feature at Oak Bay and Plaza to Be Held Over

Sabu, who is starred in the role of Mowgli in Alexander Korda's Technicolor production of Kipling's "Jungle Book," which has been held over at the Oak Bay and Plaza Theatres, was born in the Karapur Jungle, forty-five miles from the city of Mysore, in Southern India. His father, "Sheik" Ibraham, was a mahout in the service of the Maharajah.

Sabu became a sensational screen star when he was discovered by Korda in this jungle and was given the title role in "Elephant Boy." At the time the youngster couldn't speak a word of English, but a teacher was secured and in an incredibly short time he learned the language with only a slight trace of an accent.

He later made the highly successful "Drums" and "The Thief of Bagdad." Kipling's "Jungle Book" is the first Hollywood-made film.

In the picture Sabu impersonates the famous Kiplingesque hero, a creature that was half boy and half wolf and lived in the dark jungle until he was twelve years old. Patricia O'Rourke and Rosemary De Camp play the feminine leads.

Monkeys, tigers, leopards, black panthers, wolves, bears, jackals, elephants and a countless variety of birds are seen in various scenes throughout the picture.

AMUSEMENTS

On the Stage

Royal Victoria—John Charles Thomas, baritone.

On the Screen

Atlas — Priscilla Lane and Richard Whorf in "Blues in the Night."

Cadet — "A Yank in the R.A.F." starring Tyrone Power and Betty Grable.

Capitol — "The Fleet's In" with Dorothy Lamour and William Holden.

Dominion — Norma Shearer and Melvyn Douglas in "We Were Dancing."

Oak Bay and Plaza—Kipling's "Jungle Book" starring Sabu.

Rio — Victor McLaglen and Jackie Cooper in "The Big Guy."

York — Joan Crawford and Fredric March in "Susan and God."

FAMOUS PLAYERS THEATRES

STARTS TOMORROW (MONDAY)
THE FLEET'S IN . . . SHIP-A-HOY . . .
AND WHAT A LANDING PARTY IT IS! GOBS OF GLEE! A JOY JAMBOREE . . . JAMMED TO THE GUNWALES WITH THE BIGGEST ENTERTAINMENT EVER TO GREET THE FLEET!
DAILY AT 12:14, 2:31, 4:48, 7:05, 9:22

ANOTHER "CAPITOL" HIT!

HERE'S A SHOW THAT CAN'T BE TOPPED!
Strike up the Band! . . . Bring on the Fun! A cargo of Laughs, Gals and the swingiest tunes you'll ever hear in a picture! . . . Let's go on shore leave ANKLES AWEIGH!
"THE FLEET'S IN"
A Paramount Picture with
DOROTHY LAMOUR
WILLIAM HOLDEN
EDDIE BRACKEN
JIMMY DORSEY and his ORCHESTRA
BETTY HUTTON
LEIF ERICKSON
SWINGY SONGS! "NOT MINE" • "TANGERINE" "I REMEMBER YOU" "ARTHUR MURRAY TAUGHT ME DANCING IN A HURRY" "IF YOU BUILD A BETTER MOUSETRAP" "WHEN YOU HEAR THE TIME SIGNAL" and "THE FLEET'S IN"

Capitol
ANNA NEAGLE in "THERE, TOO, GO I"
EXTRA—THE EVER POPULAR "POPULAR SCIENCE" In Technicolor
"HORTON HATCHES THE EGG"
CARTOON IN COLOR WORLD NEWS

STARTS MONDAY FOR 2 DAYS
SWEET! HOT! AND LOW-DOWN!
"Blues in the night"
With PRISCILLA LANE
BETTY FIELD • RICHARD WHORF
ADDED MARCH OF TIME "FAR EAST COMMAND"
HERO IN OVERALLS! HE HAD A SECRET AND THE ENEMY WANTED IT!
"JOE SMITH—AMERICAN"
ROBERT YOUNG • MARSHA HUNT
ATLAS

LAST TIMES MONDAY! AT 12:10, 2:39, 5:08, 7:37, 9:20
PLAYMATES OF MILLIONAIRES!
But They Didn't Have a Dime to Dance With
NORMA SHEARER MELVYN DOUGLAS
"We were Dancing"
DOMINION
A FAMOUS PLAYERS THEATRE
Alan Mowbray - Gail Patrick - Lee Bowman - Florence Bates - Marjorie Main - Reginald Owen
PLUS CANADA CARRIES ON "HIGH OVER THE BORDERS" AT 2:01, 4:23, 6:45, 9:07
An Interesting and Entertaining Subject on Bird Life in Canada!
"BEAVER AND THE BEAR" COLORED CARTOON NEWS

ROYAL • TOMORROW AT 8:30 P.M.
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CADET ESQUIMALT ROAD
MONDAY — TUESDAY — WEDNESDAY
"Never have so many owed so much to so few."—Churchill.
"A YANK IN THE R.A.F." TYRONE POWER BETTY GRABLE
PLUS—"THEY MEET AGAIN"—Dr. Christian Series With Jean Hersholt
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VICTOR McLAGLEN · JACKIE COOPER in THE BIG GUY
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A NEW UNIVERSAL PICTURE
PLUS
NEW LAFF RIOT!
Arthur ASKEY in THE GHOST TRAIN
IT'S A CHILLER DILLER
15c Kiddies 10c 20c

YORK ALWAYS . . . THE BEST PICTURES!
STARTS TOMORROW!
NOT SINCE "THE WOMEN" . . . SUCH A TREAT! . . . BEFORE THEY CLAWED! NOW THEY BITE AND SCRATCH!
★ THIS GREAT CAST MAKES GERTRUDE LAWRENCE'S FAMOUS STAGE COMEDY A FILM P-A-N-I-C!
The comedy about high society that amazed and delighted Broadway for 8 solid months is now Joan's laugh-packed star-studded successor to "The Women"!

JOAN Crawford FREDRIC March
RITA HAYWORTH, RUTH HUSSEY
"Susan And God"
ROSS HOBART • JOHN CARROLL • BRUCE CABOT

A SOCK STORY WITH ALL THE THRILLS OF "CAPTAINS OF THE CLOUDS!" . . . A NATION ON A JAG! A RUTHLESS KILLER, WITH A HEART, AT THE HELM!
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★ THE RIOTOUS FARCE OF THE ROARING 20's MAKES THE MIGHTIEST FILM HIT OF THE EXCITING 40's ★
POWER-MAD MEN!
James CAGNEY
FUN-MAD WOMEN!
Priscilla LANE
A THRILL-MAD WORLD!
HUMPHREY BOGART
SEE WHY "THE ROARING TWENTIES" ROARED!
A WARNER BROS. Picture with
HUMPHREY BOGART GLADYS GEORGE JEFFREY LYNN
FRANK McHUGH · PAUL KELLY

AROUND the DIAL

TODAY'S HIGHLIGHTS

12:00 noon — Columbia Broadcasting Symphony Orchestra, with Howard Barlow conducting and English pianists, Rae Robertson and Ethel Bartlett. CBR, KIRO.

4:50 p.m. — Address by Colonel J. L. Ralston, Minister of National Defence. CBR.

5:30 p.m. — Canadian Red Cross Pre-Campaign broadcast, programme telling the dramatic story of the Red Cross work among bombed civilians and opening with a personal message by Spencer Tracy, from Hollywood. CBR.

6:30 p.m. — Port of Call. CJVI.

7:00 p.m. — In His Steps. CJVI, CJOR, CKWX.

8:30 p.m. — "Knock at the Door," drama and music, contrasting the knock at-the-door in a democratic country with that in the dictator-ridden countries. KIRO, KOL.

TODAY'S NEWS BROADCASTS

Morning — 8:00, KJR, KOL, 8:30, KOL, CKWX; 8:45, KOL; CJOR, 9:00, CBR, KOMO, KOL; 9:30, KOL; 9:55, CKWX, 10:00, KOL, 10:30, KIRO, 10:45, CJVI, 11:00, CBR, 11:55, KIRO.

Afternoon — 12:00, KOL, 12:15, KOMO, 12:45, CJVI, 2:00, CJOR, KOL, 2:15, KOMO, 2:45, KIRO, 3:00, KOL, 3:45, CBR, KOMO, 4:55, CKWX, 4:00, KJR, 4:30, KIRO, 4:45, CBR, 5:00, KOL, KIRO, 5:45, CJVI, KIRO, KOL, 5:55, KIRO.

Evening — 6:45, CJOR, 7:00, CBR, KOL, 8:25, KIRO, 8:45, CJVI, 9:00, CJOR, KOL, 9:25, KIRO, 9:30, KJR; 10:00, KOMO, CJOR, CKWX, KOL; 10:45, KIRO, 10:30, CBR, 11:55, CBR, CKWX, CJOR.

MONDAY'S HIGHLIGHTS

1:15 p.m. — Secretary of the Navy Frank Knox speaking from the Biltmore Bowl in Los Angeles and discussing The Navy in Action. KJR.

5:30 p.m. — Margaret Speaks offers popular selections from operetta, musical comedy and concert. KOMO.

6:00 p.m. — Academy Award winner Joan Fontaine and her husband Brian Aherne and be presented by Cecil B. De Mille on his Radio Theatre in a radio adaptation of the popular motion picture "Suspicion." CBR, KIRO.

6:45 p.m. — That Was the Year. CJVI.

7:00 p.m. — Captains of Industry. CJVI.

7:00 p.m. — What Happens in Old Mexico, with Frank Knox, Secretary of Navy (Host), Sumner, Secretary of War Harold Ickes, and Henry Morgenthau, Jr., to explain. This and next two months is going to be period of war. KJR.

MONDAY'S NEWS BROADCASTS

Morning — 8:00, CBR, CKWX, CJOR, 8:45, KOMO, KIRO, 8:30, CJVI, KOL, 9:00, CBR, KOL, KOMO, 9:30, KOL, 10:00, KOMO, 10:30, CJVI, 10:45, CJOR, 11:30, KJR, 12:00, KOL.

Afternoon — 12:45, CKWX, 12:15, KIRO, 12:30, CJVI, CBR, CJOR, 1:00, CBR, 1:30, KOL, 55, KJR, 2:15, CJOR, 2:30, KOMO, KOL, KIRO, 3:00, KJR, 3:45, CBR, 4:00, KOL, 4:30, KJR, 4:45, KOMO, KIRO, CJOR, 5:00, KOL, CBR, 5:40, KJR, 47, KIRO, 5:55, KIRO.

Evening — 6:00, KOL, 6:45, KJR, KOL, 7:00, CJVI, CKWX, 6:45, KOL, 7:00, KOL, CJOR, 7:30, CBR, KOL, 8:25, KIRO, 8:45, CJVI, 9:00, KJR, KOL, 9:30, KIRO, 9:00, KJR, KOL, 9:30, KJR, 9:55, KJR, 10:00, KOMO, CJOR, CKWX, KIRO, KOL, 10:30, CJVI, CBR, 10:45, KOMO, 11:45, KOMO, KOL, 11:55, CBR, CKWX, CJOR.

Sunday's Programme

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Pacific Daylight Time

8:00 A.M.—Highlights of the Bible (CBR)
Sacred Hour (KOMO)
News (KJR)
Organ Melodies (CJOR)
News and Music (KOL)
Cadets' Choir (CKWX)

8:15 A.M.—Radio Pulpit (KJR)

8:30 A.M.—Hymns of Memories (CBR)
Old Fashioned Revival Hour (KOMO)
News (KOL)
Message of Israel (CJOR)

8:45 A.M.—Voice of Tomorrow (KJR)
Christian Science Program (KOL)
News (CJOR)

9:00 A.M.—B.B.C. News (CBR)
News (KJR)
Church of the Air (KIRO)
International Lesson (CKWX)

9:15 A.M.—Salvation Call (CBR)
Family Worship Hour (KOMO)
Piano Concerto (KJR)

9:30 A.M.—Greetings from the Beaver Club (CBR)
Radio City Music Hall (KJR)
Pan Lake Tabernacle Choir and Organ (KIRO)
News (KOL)
Music Hour (CJOR)
Organ Moods (CKWX)

9:45 A.M.—Emma Otera (KOMO)

9:55 A.M.—News (CKWX)

10:00 A.M.—Organ of Service (CBR)
Christian Science Program (KOL)
News (CJOR)

9:00 A.M.—B.B.C. News (CBR)
Church of the Air (KIRO)
News (KOL)
Church of Hollywood (CKWX)

10:15 A.M.—Music for Neighbors (KOMO)
Organ (KOMO)
Romance of the Highway (KOL)
Sunday Concert (CKWX)

10:30 A.M.—Concert Echoes (CJVI)
The World Is Yours (KOMO)
Radio News Weekly (KJR)
News (KIRO)
Hymns of Faith (KOL)
God's Hour (CJOR)

10:45 A.M.—News (CJVI)
Speaking of Glamour (KJR)
Hymns of Worship (KIRO)
Canary Chorus (KOL)

11:00 A.M.—Christ Church Cathedral (CJVI)
C.B.C. News and Old Country Mail (CBR)
Radio Table (KOMO)
Pet Parade (KJR)
Spirit of '42 (KIRO)
Sweet Music (KOL)
Metropolitan Tabernacle (CJOR)
First United Church (CKWX)

11:15 A.M.—Anzac News Letter (CBR)
Orchestra (KOMO)
Serenade (KJR)
Excursions in Science (KOL)

11:30 A.M.—Religious Period (CBR)
Chimney Round Table (KOMO)
University Christian Church (KJR)
Courage a Workman (KIRO)
This Is Your Life (KOL)

11:55 A.M.—News (KIRO)

12:00 Noon—Columbia Broadcasting Symphony Orchestra (CBR, KIRO)
Date on Dots (KOMO)
John Neagle (KJR)
News (KOL)

12:15 P.M.—Mrs. Katzenberg (KOMO)
Radio Party (KJR)
Music (KOL)

12:30 P.M.—Concert Gems (CJVI)
Army Hour (KOMO)
Dance Time (KJR)
Women's Press Club (KOL)
Music for Sunday (CKWX)

12:45 P.M.—News (CJVI)
Interview Hour (KJR, KOL)

1:00 P.M.—Sign Off (CJVI)
Music for Sunday (KJR)
Dance Time (KOL)
Melody Hour (CJOR)
Piano (CKWX)

1:15 P.M.—King's Messenger (CJOR)
B.B. Had Been You (CKWX)

1:30 P.M.—Church of the Air (CBR)
Ladies Aid (KOMO)
Tea Table Chat Refreshes (KIRO)
Young People's Church of the Air (KOL)
Piano (CJOR)
Matinee in Rhythm (CKWX)

1:45 P.M.—Morning Hour (KOMO)
Music (CJOR)

2:00 P.M.—News and Organ (CBR)
Theatre Music (KOMO)
Afternoon Tea (KJR)
Old Fashioned Hour (KIRO)
News and I Hear A Song (KOL)
Waltz Time (CKWX)

2:15 P.M.—News (KOMO)
Farmers' Forum (KIRO)
Pacific Coast Musical Digest
Week End News Summary (CKWX)

2:30 P.M.—Le Avventure Sport (CBR)
Piano Concerto (KOMO)
Music (CJOR)
Hour of Melody (KOL)
Paul Pedersen (CKWX)

2:45 P.M.—News (KIRO)
Humphrey Cobb
Bacon Interview (CKWX)

3:00 P.M.—Organ and Lute (CBR)
The Happy Gang (KOMO)
Salvation Call (KJR)
Band (KOL)
Bright (CKWX)

3:15 P.M.—Tabernacle Gospel Light (KOMO)
Radio Table (KJR)
Band (KOL)

3:30 P.M.—Piano Duo (CBR)
Music (KOMO)
News and Music (KJR)
Dance Hour (KOL)
Organ Vespers (CKWX)

3:45 P.M.—B.B.C. News (CBR)
Bible Class of the Air (KIRO)
Lutheran Church (CJOR)

4:00 P.M.—News (KJR)
Symphony News (CBR)
Radio Revue (KOMO)
The American Scene (KOL)
Symphony Hour (CKWX)

4:15 P.M.—Mozart Album (CBR)
Heights of Fame (KOMO)
Lutheran Church (CJOR)

4:30 P.M.—News First Review (CBR)
Piano Artistry (KOMO)
News and Music (KJR)
Make Yourself at Home (KOL)

4:45 P.M.—News (CJVI)
Rhythm Hour (KJR)
Christian Programme (KOL)
Gospel Messengers (CJOR)

4:50 P.M.—Take (CBR)

5:00 P.M.—Music From the Capitol Theatre (CBR)
Chimes Melodies (KOMO)
Gospel Clinic (KJR)
World News Today (KJR)
News and America Forum (KOL)
Theatre of Modern Music (CKWX)

5:15 P.M.—British Israel Talk (CJOR)
Theatre of Modern Music (CKWX)

5:30 P.M.—Christian Science Programme (CJVI)
Red Cross Campaign (CBR)
One Man's Family (KOMO)
Song Hour Revisited (KJR)
Radio Rhapsody (KOL)
Quiet in the Wilderness (CJOR)

5:45 P.M.—News (CJVI, KIRO, KOL)
Prayer and Aim (KJR)
World Peacetime Hour (CJOR)
Theatre of Modern Music (CKWX)

5:55 P.M.—News (KIRO)

6:00 P.M.—Chateau Romance (CBR)
Mormon Church Period (KOMO)
Sunset Serenade (KIRO)
Back to God's Country (KJR)
Symphony Hour (CJOR)
Barry Wood (CKWX)

6:15 P.M.—Marion It Is Your Date (CKWX)

6:30 P.M.—Radio Theatre (CBR)
American Album of Familiar Music (KOMO)
News (KJR)
Science Conference (KIRO)
News (CJOR)

6:45 P.M.—News (CJOR)

7:00 P.M.—In His Steps (CJVI, CKWX, CJOR)
Whitecaps of Fame (CBR)
Hour of Charm (KOMO)
Goodwill Hour (KJR)
Take It or Leave It (KIRO)
Raymond Gram Swing (KOL)

7:30 P.M.—Christ Church Cathedral Service (CJVI)
Walter Winchell (KOMO)
News and Keep 'em Rolling (KOL)
Christ Church Cathedral (CJOR)
First United Church Service (CKWX).

7:45 P.M.—Parker Family (KOMO).

8:00 P.M.—C.B.C. News (CBR)
The Great Gildersleeve (KOMO)
Jimmy Sangster Mysteries (KJR)
Crime Doctor (KIRO)

8:15 P.M.—Britain Speaks (CBR).

8:25 P.M.—News (KIRO).

8:30 P.M.—B.B.C. Radio Newsreel (CBR).
Three Sheets to the Wind (KOMO).
Jack Benny (KJR)
Knock at the Door (KIRO, KOL)

8:45 P.M.—News (CJVI)

9:00 P.M.—Sign Off (CJVI)
Classics for Today (CBR).
Jack Carson (KOMO).
Grandpappy and His Pals (KJR).
What's on Your Mind (KIRO)
News (CJOR, KOL)
Hymns You Love (CKWX).

9:15 P.M.—Voice of Prophecy (KOL).
Blue Pacific (CJOR).

9:25 P.M.—News (KIRO).

9:30 P.M.—What Did They Think? (CBR)
Log Cabin Farms (KOMO).
News (KJR).
Music (KIRO).
The Shadow (CKWX).

9:45 P.M.—Defence Reports (KOMO)
Radio Parade (KJR
Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra (KOL)
Waltz Time (CJOR).

10:00 P.M.—Sanctuary (CBR).
News (KOMO, CJOR, CKWX)
Kids.
Nelson Eddy (KJR)
Civilians for Defence (KIRO)

10:15 P.M.—Betty Martin (KOMO)
Bridge to Dreamland (KJR)
News (KIRO)
Intermezzo (CKWX)

10:30 P.M.—C.B.C. News (CBR
Victor's Memories (KOMO
Gospel Hour (KJR

10:45 P.M.—Grounds and Gay (CBR).
At Close of Day (CKWX).

11:00 P.M.—Prelude to Midnight (CBR
The Missing Word (KJR)
Public Affairs (KIRO)

11:15 P.M.—Columbia Workshop (KIRO)

11:30 P.M.—Orchestra (KJR

11:45 P.M.—News for Alaska (KIRO)

11:55 P.M.—News (CBR)

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Pacific Daylight Time

8:00 A.M.—Matins, Choir (CJVI)
News (CJOR, CKWX, CJOR)
Breakfast Club (KOMO)
Breakfast Club (KJR)
A Thought for Today (KOL)
Breakfast Club (KOL)

8:15 A.M.—Master Musicians (CBR)
Organ (KJR)
News (KIRO, KOMO)
Morning Varieties (CJOR)
Breakfast Time Tunes (CKWX)

8:30 A.M.—News (CJVI, KOL)
Piano Lee Family (CBR
Victor Lindlahr (KOMO)
Organ (KJR
Bob Brooks (CJOR)
Variety Isn't Dead
Just About Time (CKWX)

8:45 A.M.—Morning Meditation (CJVI)
Organ (KOMO)
Lucille Haslam (KOMO)
Choral Vespers (KJR)
Sunshine America Issues (KIRO)
Miss Meade (Children (KJR)

9:00 A.M.—Listen to Lisbert (CJVI).
B.B.C. News (CBR)
Shute-Ie (CJOR)
News Jottings (KOMO)
News (KJR)
Kate Smith Speaks (KIRO)
Jean B. Hughes (KOL)
Good Morning, Neighbor (CKWX)

9:15 A.M.—Morning Bulletin Board (CJVI)
Big Sister (CBR, KIRO)
News (CJOR)
Bachelor's Children (KOMO)
Ann Shelton Ruthless (KJR)
Ray Daughters (KOL)

9:30 A.M.—Organ (CBR
Breakfast at Band's (KJR)
Bachelor of Home Time (KIRO)
Royal Hawaiians (CJOR)
Midnight on the Air (CKWX)

9:45 A.M.—Organ (KOMO
Ma Perkins (KIRO)
Voice of Memory (CKWX)

10:00 A.M.—Betty and Bob (CJVI
Home Service (KOL)
Piano Interlude (CBR)
Info Can Be Beautiful (KIRO)
News (KOL)
Voice of Memory (CKWX)

10:15 A.M.—Happy Gang (CBR
Organ (KOMO)
Woman's Way (KJR)
Harry Hartz (KOL)
Happy Gang (CKWX)

10:30 A.M.—News (CJVI
Kate Smith (KOMO)
Armanda of Hollywood (KJR
News Views (Today (KJR)
Open With the Famous Gang
Women's Institute (CKWX)

10:45 A.M.—Music (CJVI
Kate (KOMO)
Organ (KJR)
Bachelor's Children (KIRO)
Johnson Family (KOL)
Melody Parade (CKWX)

11:00 A.M.—Bulletin Board (CJVI
Light of the World (KOMO)
Organ (KJR)
Right of Memory (KIRO)
Today's Children (CJOR
Stars of the West (CKWX)

11:15 A.M.—Arnold Grimm's Daughter (KOMO)
Between the Bookends (CBR, KJR)
Amy Jessica Real Life Stories (KIRO)
Inserted for Listening (KOL)
Famous Dream (CJOR)
Romance and Romance (CKWX)

11:30 A.M.—Musicpoint (CJVI)
Dr Susan (CBR)
Guiding Light (KOMO)
News (KJR)
We Love and Learn (KIRO)
Carroll Carter (KOL)
Vic and Sade (CJOR)
Concert Caravan (CKWX)

11:45 A.M.—Lucy Linton (CBR
Heiress of Al Capones (KOMO)
Concert Hall (KJR)
Kitchen Klinic (KIRO)
Road of Life (CJOR)

12:00 Noon—Wally Time (CJVI)
B.C. Farm Broadcast (CBR)
Against the Storm (KOMO)
Pinocchio Presents (KJR)
Cinema Programme (KIRO)
News (KOL)
Studio Party (CKWX)

12:05 P.M.—News (CKWX)

12:15 P.M.—Piano Pete (CJVI
Ma Perkins (KOMO)
Lunch at 8 (KOL)

12:30 P.M.—News (CJVI, CBR, CJOR)
Happy Valley (KOMO)
Stars of Tomorrow (KJR)
Music for Moderns (CKWX)

12:45 P.M.—Hospital Mixed (CJVI)
The Barrister (CBR)
Luncheon Hymnsmen (KOMO)
Melody Parade (KJR)
Music Entertainment (KOL)
Organ (CKWX) Programmes (CJOR)

1:00 P.M.—Chateau Rhythm (CJVI)
News
Home and Mine (KOMO)
Luncheon Concert (KJR)
Kitchen Klinic (KIRO)
Hour of Memory (CKWX)

1:15 P.M.—Count of Monte Cristo (CJVI)
Music (CBR)
Bible Dallas (KOMO)
Secretary Knox (KIRO)
Dancing Season (KOL)
Organ Melodies (CJOR)
Happy Holidays (CKWX)

1:30 P.M.—Women's Programme (CJVI)
Music (CBR)
Home (KOMO)
Kitchen Klinic (KJR)
Singing Strings (KIRO)
Luncheon Concert (KOL)
Variety Hour (CJOR)
Melody Parade (CKWX)

1:45 P.M.—Young Widder Brown (CBR)
Organ (KJR)
Trade Winds (KOL)

1:55 P.M.—News (KJR)

2:00 P.M.—Music (CJVI)
Music (CBR)
Home (KOMO)
Kitchen Klinic (KJR)
Afternoon Melodies (KIRO)
Luncheon Concert (KOL)
Variety Hour (CJOR)
Tunes of Today (CKWX)

2:15 P.M.—Joe Penner (CBR, KOMO)
Organ (KJR)
Women in Defence (KIRO)
Luncheon Concert (KOL)
Variety Hour (CJOR)
Tunes of Today (CKWX)

2:25 P.M.—News (CJOR)

2:30 P.M.—Music (CJVI)
Music (CBR)
Home (KOMO)
Kitchen Klinic (KJR)
Singing Strings (KIRO)
Luncheon Concert (KOL)
Variety Hour (CJOR)
Tunes of Today (CKWX)

2:45 P.M.—Open Box (CBR)
Vic and Sade (KOMO)
Chaplain Jim (CBR, KOL)
Minute Men, Sharps and Flats (KOL)
Jane Journey (CJOR)
Scattergood Baines (KIRO)

3:00 P.M.—Merry Islanders (CBR)
The Bartons (KOMO)
News (KJR)
Women in Civilian Defence (KIRO)
B & B Betterbilt (KOL)
Life Can Be Beautiful (CJOR)
Afternoon Floor Show (CKWX)

3:15 P.M.—Orchestra (CBR)
Music (KOMO)
Orchestra (KJR)
Hedda Hopper's Hollywood (KIRO)
Reserve Roadcup (KOL)
Ma Perkins (CJOR)
Afternoon Floor Show (CKWX)

3:30 P.M.—Wishart Campbell Songs (CBR)
Homekeepers' Calendar (KOMO)
Piano (KJR)
Frank Parker, songs (KIRO)
Movie Review (KOL)
Pepper Young (CJOR)
Teatime Tunes (CKWX)

3:45 P.M.—Rambling Rhymes (CJVI)
BBC News (CBR)
The World Today (KIRO)
Three Romeos (KJR)
Orchestra (KOL)
Right to Happiness (CJOR)

4:00 P.M.—Afternoon Tea Party (CJVI)
Orchestra (CBR)
Star Parade (KOMO)
Castle Trio (KJR)
The Second Mrs Burton (KIRO)
Fulton Lewis (KOL)
Concert Moderne (CJOR)
Novelty Jamboree (CKWX)

4:15 P.M.—Piano (CBR)
Chet Miles (KJR)
Young Dr Malone (KIRO)
Johnson Family (KOL)

4:30 P.M.—Organ (CJVI)
We Present (CBR, KOMO).
News Here and Abroad (KJR).
Housewives Inc. (KIRO).

4:45 P.M.—Riding the Range (CJVI).
Recital (CBR)
News (KOMO, KIRO, CJOR).
Helen Ormes (KJR).
Star Parade (KOL).

5:00 P.M.—Nickel Serenade (CJVI)
News Serenade for Britain (CBR)
Come To (KOL)
Flying Patrol (KJR)
Vox Pop (KIRO)
News (KOL)
Ranger's Cabin (CJOR)
Music for Youth (CKWX)

5:15 P.M.—Jr. League Show (KOMO).
Secret City (KJR).
Music (KOL).
Ringing Bars (CJOR)
Uncle Ray Bazes (CKWX).

5:30 P.M.—Noontime (CJVI)
Concert in Miniature (CBR).
Musical (KOMO).
News (KJR)
Don Winslow (KIRO)
Captain Midnight (KOL)
Captain Anzac (CJOR
Talking Drums (CKWX)

5:55 P.M.—News (KIRO)

6:00 P.M.—Sports Spotlight (CJVI)
Ray Tompkins (KIRO)
Your Song of Memories (KOMO)
Star Parade (KJR)
Radio Theatre (KOL)
Lincoln Club (CJOR)
Dinner Hour (CKWX)

6:15 P.M.—Dinner Hour Tunes (CJVI)
News (KOL, KJR)
Tom Mix (CJOR)
Music From the Stars (CKWX)

6:30 P.M.—News (CJVI, CKWX)
Lowell Thomas (KOMO)
Creative Washington Hour (KJR)
Echo Note (CJOR)

6:45 P.M.—That Was the Year (CJVI)
News (KOL)
Fear Agent (CJOR)
Album of Yesterday (CKWX)

7:00 P.M.—Musicpoint (CJVI)
Lowell Thomas (CBR)
Dinner Hour (KOMO)
Mark Hawley (KJR)
Interlude (KOL)
Jimmy Sangster (CJOR)
Music (CKWX)

7:15 P.M.—Abe Lyman (CJOR
Dr. Malone (KOL)
Tune (CKWX)

7:30 P.M.—Time Inquiry (CJVI KOL)
Cavalcade of America (KOMO)
Jimmy Fidler (KJR)
Blondie (KIRO)
Hue Down (CJOR)
Music (CKWX)

7:45 P.M.—Boake Carter (KJR)
News (KJR)

8:00 P.M.—Screen Guild Theatre (CJVI)
Gabriel Heatter (KOMO)
Abbott and Addy (KOL)
Lum and Abner (CJOR)

8:30 P.M.—Musicpoint (CJVI)
Mayor of the Town (CBR)
Mayor of Nation (KOMO)
Meet Corliss Archer (KJR)
Fibber and Molly (KIRO)
Tommy Dorsey (CJOR)
Music and Romance (CKWX)

8:55 P.M.—News (KIRO)

9:00 P.M.—Time Marches On (CBR)
Gay Nineties (KOMO)
Captain Midnight (KJR)
Lum and Abner (KIRO)
Lone Ranger (KOL)
Tommy Dorsey (CJOR)
Music (CKWX)

9:15 P.M.—Hollywood Casual (CJOR)
Carroll Carter (KOL)
Alona Land (KJR)

9:30 P.M.—Britain Speaks (CBR)
Off the Record (KOM)
News (KJR)
Hollywood Showcase (KIRO)
Fulton Lewis (KOL)
Charles Hawes (CJOR)

9:45 P.M.—Public Information (CBR)
Tropical Moods (KJR)
Voice of Music (CKWX)
Hank Keene (KOL)

9:55 P.M.—News (KJR)

10:00 P.M.—Men Of Africa (CJVI)
Raymond Gram Swing (CBR)
National Radio Forum (KJR)
Treasury Parade (KIRO)
H. Costigan (KOL)
Orchestra (CJOR)

10:15 P.M.—Transit Tunes (KOMO)
News KIRO KOL

10:30 P.M.—News (CJVI CBR)
Orchestra (KOMO
Orchestra (KJR
Dance Time KOL
Organ (CJOR, CKWX

10:45 P.M.—House of Dreams (CJVI)
Generals Speaking (CBR
Without Words (KIRO
Starred for Listening (KOL)
Ember Glow (CJOR)
At Close of Day (CKWX)

10:55 P.M.—News (KOMO)

11:00 P.M.—Orchestra (CBR).
Orchestra (KIRO)
Sermon Services (KOMO)
Pete Music (KJR).
Orchestra (KOL)
Party Time (CJOR)
Make-Believe Ballroom (CKWX)

11:30 P.M.—Prelude to Midnight (CBR)
Orchestra (KOMO).
Organ (KJR)
Easy Listening (KIRO).
Orchestra (KOL).

11:45 P.M.—News (KOL, KOMO).
News for Alaska (KIRO).

11:55 P.M.—News (CBR, CKWX, CJOR)

Appears at Royal Monday

JOHN CHARLES THOMAS

Famous Metropolitan Opera Baritone, Who Will Appear at the Royal Victoria Monday, at 8:30. Mr. Thomas Will Present a Programme of Unusual Interest and Variety to Delight His Many Victoria Admirers.

CHANGE NOTICE FOR BLACKOUT

New Regulations Result of Careful Study by B.C. Authorities

Commenting on the changes in the lighting and blackout regulations, for British Columbia issued by Premier John Hart, Major-General R. O. Alexander and W. C. Mair, warning chairman, advisor) council Provincial Civilian Protection Committee, the latter points out that "are the result of careful study on the part of British Columbia authorities entrusted with civilian defence measures. They were approved at Ottawa after a conference between the Minister of Pensions and National Health and Inspector S. F. M. Woods, who presented the British Columbia point of view.

The new regulations are a close approach to those recommended last Winter and include a more liberal interpretation of outdoor lighting, after which permits have already been issued to churches, theatres, sporting and industries affecting the necessity, comfort and safety of the people.

CHANGE IN PROCEDURE

The important change in the new system instead of notifying the public of danger from enemy aircraft by the siren, which caused the last recent panic, is studied after tested on the lower part of Vancouver Island and the Lower Mainland. In contrast with the previous regulations, which was found for the Pacific Coast, danger, a continuous steady note of five minutes duration, instead of danger, there is to be substituted by a warning, a fluctuating note of five minutes duration.

When this is given that danger from enemy aircraft is imminent, from anti-aircraft guns will sound the siren to give a warning signal of a continuous wail note for three minutes duration. When it is given that danger from aircraft near inland is expected out of the area and the danger of attack has passed for the time being, this message will be conveyed to the people by the A.R.P. Services through the press and over the radio, no sirens being used for this notice.

It is pointed out that a state of alert and as is indicated in the Provincial-wide blackout affects a period of several hours. It is possible although not probable that the first warning received by the public might be that of immediate danger of attack.

TRAFFIC CEASES

Regulations governing the movement of vehicles during a blackout are continued for example. With properly masked headlights traffic may continue moving in a Precautionary blackout at no over fifteen miles per hour. Under a complete blackout, however, traffic is to cease during a raid, it may be directed to a shelter. Pedestrians are to do during a raid, it may be directed to a shelter. Pedestrians are to do during a raid, it may be directed to a shelter. An ambulance, a member of the police and active A.R.P. Service may also operate under the

A section is drawn to the cause of the regulations which includes the use of temporary closing a building. Lights After Sunset are to function as is necessary, except that they may not be used in the use of the lights as usual.

OBLIGING

[illegible] One [illegible] and [illegible] Dominion Theatre [illegible] Theatre [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

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Scenes at Fighter Squadron Station

Chat Body Hints
by JAMES W. BARTON, M.D.

AN ALL-ROUND DIET INCLUDES ALL A'S AND C

P.-T. A. Group to Hold Silver Tea

I.O.D.E. Activities

C.G.I.T. NOTES

CHINESE FESTIVAL

Norfolk House Is Scene of Annual School Concert

by the youngest pupils of the school. The proceeds of a silver collection amounting to over $35 will be devoted to the school Restingouche fund which provides comforts for the men of H.M.C.S. Restingouche.

BOY SCOUT NEWS

BURNSIDE CUB PACK

NORTH QUADRA

WINNIPEG, May 2 (CP)—A W

Women Needed in Air Force Service

VANCOUVER, May 2 (CP)—New opportunities for service in the Royal Canadian Air Force's Women's Division were offered today in a list of specific requirements for announced enrolment, made public by Squadron Leader H. N. Nelson, officer commanding the Vancouver recruiting centre.

Applicants between the ages of

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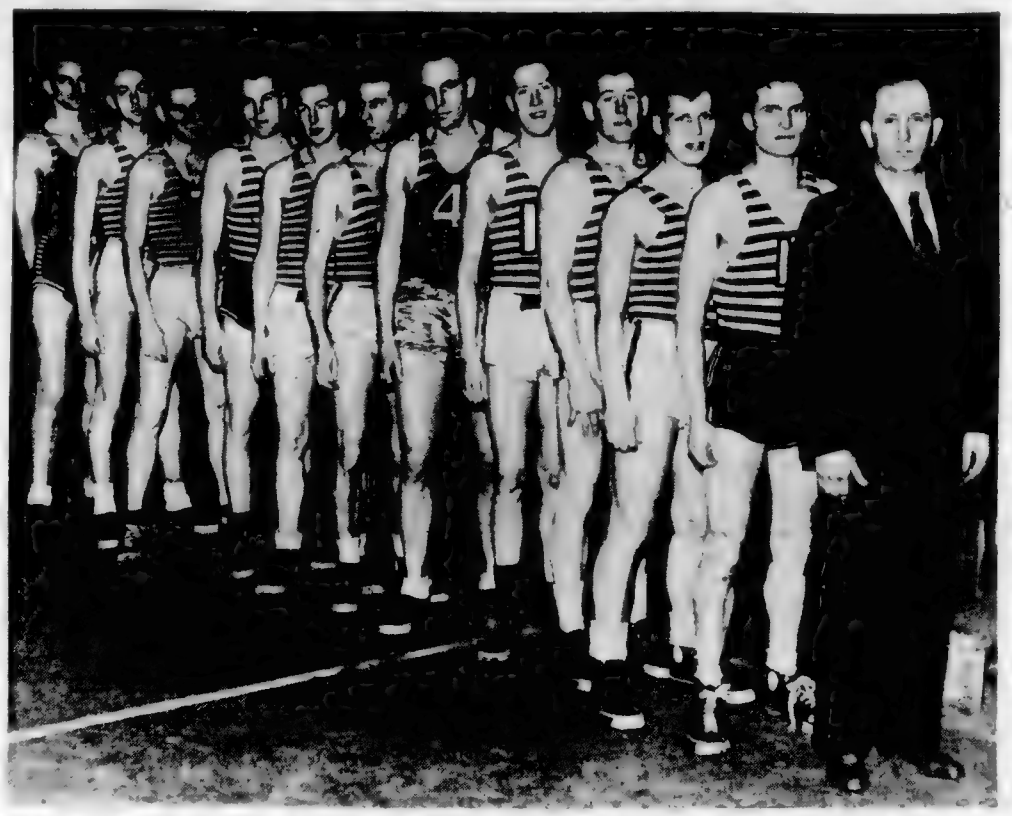
NO. 121—EIGHTY-FOURTH YEAR VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA, SUNDAY, MAY 3, 1942

DOMINOES BEAT MONTREAL TO WIN CANADIAN TITLE

Victoria Cagers Win National Championship



VICTORIANS SCORE 40-33 VERDICT TO WIND UP PLAY-OFF

British Columbians Move Into Commanding Lead in First Half Then Coast Home to National Championship—Norm Baker and Art Chapman Top the Scoring Brigade

Glancing Over Sport

By JOE DELAHUNTY

NICE GOING, DOMINOES

THE DERBY WINNER

ODDS AND ENDS

TEAMS NAMED FOR BIG MEET

Line-Ups of Victoria Tenpin Squads for Mainland Event Released

CLASS "A"

CLASS "B"

CLASS "C"

PEPPER SCARCE

DOMINOES TAKE LEAD

LINE-UPS

STANDINGS

SIX HEADER

DEMAND FOR WHEELERS

SEMI-FINALS

FINALS

OPENING CEREMONIES

BOWLS WORKOUTS

$1,983,011 IS BET ON DAY'S RACING

Colorful Ceremony Will Mark Opening Of Baseball Season

Victoria Ball Nines Will Usher in 1942 Pennant Race Next Saturday at Royal Athletic Park—Civic, Fraternal and R.C.A.F. Heads Will Participate—Two Games Scheduled

JESTERS WIN TENPIN TITLE

Defeat Bombers in Play-Off For Women's Bowling Honors at Arcade

DR. McINNES IS GOLF WINNER

Victoria Dentist Wins Cup At Annual Tournament of British Columbia B.C.

Sport Writers Pass Up Winner Of Derby Event

BELIEVE IT OR NOT . . . . . *By Ripley*

The BELL BIRD HAS AN ANTENNA ON ITS HEAD
AND EMIT A BELL CALL THAT CAN BE HEARD 3 MILES
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Wins Thirteenth Straight Tussle In Pennant Race

Cleveland Indians Continue on War Path in American League—Whip the Senators, 12-3—Yanks Go Under Again—Dodgers and Cardinals Also Lose—Giants Defeat Cubs

By The Canadian Press

The league-leading Cleveland Indians pounded three Washington hurlers for fifteen more hits to beat the Senators, 12-3, and stretch their American League winning streak to thirteen straight games yesterday.

Jim Bagby, notching his fifth consecutive win, limited Washington to eight blows, including two home runs by Bruce Campbell and Bobby Estalella.

The Indians landed on big Buck Newsom, Washington's starting roundsman, for five runs in a wild third-inning uprising featuring Jeff Heath's three-run home.

The Tribe added five more runs off Bill Knickerbocker in the seventh on doubles by Heath and Oris Hockett and singles by Manager Lou Boudreau, Ray Mack, Roy Weatherly and Ken Keltner. Keltner then picked up another run when Jeff Heath, called safe at first, dodged and came home on Hockett's long triple.

HOMER WINS GAME

A two-run homer by Rudy York, his second four-bagger of the game, broke up a pitching duel between Tommy Bridges and Marius Russo in the ninth inning and gave the Detroit Tigers a 4-3 victory over the New York Yankees in the first game of the two-game series.

Hal Wagner and Gene Moore each singled off Hamlin Cullen, Yank reliefer, in the ninth inning to give the Tigers the victory.

Hal Wagner also came through for the Philadelphia Athletics yesterday when he blasted a single with two out in the ninth inning to give the A's a 7-6 triumph over Chicago's White Sox.

Coming from behind twice and aided by Ted Williams' 11th home run of the season in the ninth inning, the Boston Red Sox fought their way to an 11-10 decision over the St. Louis Browns to gain a split in their two-game series.

The Pittsburgh Pirates landed on three Brooklyn pitchers for seventeen hits and whipped the Dodgers 10-5 for a sweep of their two-game National League series.

Although he was charged for a defeat, Lefty Southpaw Aston Wickersham was the way for he hurler who pitched to within two games of the league-leading Dodgers.

Carl Davis opened up for manager Jim Joe Brooks with a record of three wins and no defeats, but the Pirates clouted him for four runs before the end of his first inning with four hits and a walk, three of which landed in the

Schoolboy Rowe pitched his first appearance as a pinch-hitter after being sent to the Houston club by the Detroit Tigers and kept the Dodgers guessing for five innings before he was relieved by Curt Koch, who also came

CARDS GO UNDER

[illegible] Mize [illegible] P. Erickson

Mize [illegible] P. Erickson

41,000 Watch Cup Football Game End In Scoreless Draw

Large Turnout Present at Arsenal-Brentford Fixture in Old Country—Fine Goal Tending Saves the Gunners—West Bromwich Defeats Everton Before 34,000, 8-2

LONDON Ma... (CP)... Before a [illegible] crowd [illegible] Arsenal and Brentford [illegible] Old Country [illegible] Arsenal [illegible] Brentford played a [illegible] Brentford [illegible] 2-2 [illegible] Arsenal [illegible] West Bromwich [illegible] Southern Football League War Cup [illegible] Everton [illegible] total [illegible]

GRIMSBY WINS

[illegible] Mark [illegible] Arsenal [illegible] Wolverhampton Wanderers [illegible] Arsenal [illegible] Brentford [illegible] Portsmouth [illegible] West Bromwich [illegible] Everton [illegible] Brentford [illegible] Southern Football League War Cup [illegible] on May 9 and 16.

WARMERDAM SETS MARK

Soars to New World's Pole Vault Record of 15 Feet 6 7-8 Inches

[illegible]

JAMAICA RACING

[illegible]

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

FIRST RACE

[illegible]

SECOND RACE

[illegible]

THIRD RACE

[illegible]

FOURTH RACE

[illegible]

FIFTH RACE

[illegible]

SIXTH RACE

[illegible]

SEVENTH RACE

[illegible]

EIGHTH RACE

[illegible]

NINTH RACE

[illegible]

TORONTO IN NEED OF MORE HOUSES

Mayor Says Situation in Eastern City Imperative—Will Ask Ottawa to Assist

[illegible]

To Play Vancouver Next Saturday

[illegible] EAGLE and Vancouver [illegible] and have presented another [illegible] over the same club in a [illegible] at Hycrest Arena [illegible] St. Louis Cooper [illegible] Eagle Ad... [illegible] Bob Watkinson, Pte. M. Ian Allison, Wren Dan Goodacre, North Pte. Ken King and Vern Clark of Eagle now set to meet Bay Theatre B. McKay [illegible] Bob Cooper, Reg Cockrell [illegible] Lucy Cook.

ROYAL STABLE SCORES TWICE

Sun Chariot and Big Game Register Race Victories For His Majesty

[illegible] and Big Game brought the Royal [illegible]

HUMORS OF MANOEUVRES

[illegible]

Bays Will Battle United Services In Boxla Opener

Provincial Champions to Face Strong Club at Victoria Sports Centre Next Friday Evening—Manager Ted Menzies Slightly Worried Over Probable Outcome—Face-Off at 8:30

[illegible]

SERVICES STRONG

[illegible]

BASEBALL STANDINGS

COAST LEAGUE

[illegible]

NATIONAL LEAGUE

[illegible]

AMERICAN LEAGUE

[illegible]

WESTERN INT. LEAGUE

[illegible]

Bowling Averages

MAJOR LEAGUE LEADERS

NATIONAL LEAGUE

[illegible]

Shawnigan Lake School Wins Friendly Cricket

Defeats University School 61-41 on Mount Tolmie Pitch—Royal Air Force Triumphs Over Royal Canadian Navy—Wood Is High Scorer

ROYAL AIR FORCE

[illegible]

UNIVERSITY SCHOOL

[illegible]

SHAWNIGAN LAKE SCHOOL

[illegible]

ROYAL CANADIAN NAVY

[illegible]

AMERICAN LEAGUE

[illegible]

SEASON IS UNDER WAY

Large Number of Lawn Bowlers Turn Out at Beacon Hill Greens

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WINS AQUATIC SWIM HONORS

New York High School Girl Captures United States Swimming Title

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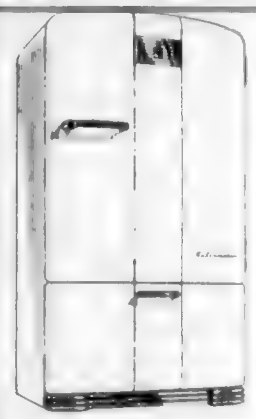
OUTSIDE and INSIDE



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What Today Means

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If May 3 is your birthday the best hours for you on this date are from 9:15 to 11:15 a.m. from 3:15 to 5:15 p.m. and from 9:15 to 11:15 p.m. The danger periods are from 7:15 to 9:15 a.m., from 7:15 to 9:15 p.m. and from 11:15 p.m. until midnight.

The earlier that invitations are accepted on May 4 the better it will be for chances that they will be accepted. Church and social activities are apt to make this a busy day for most people. Frankness may characterize both the words and actions of the average person on this date so you can appropriate leaving much of the unvarnished truth especially if you insist on having personal questions answered. Hosts and hostesses should try to anticipate the wants of their guests on this day, if they wish their visitors to enjoy themselves. Married and engaged couples, and those who have fallen willing victims to Cupid's wiles, will do well to render therefore unto Caesar the things which are Caesar's and to make no credits for credit to which they are not entitled if embarrassing episodes are to be prevented.

If you are a woman, and May 3 is your birthday, you have a [illegible] like-mind few paramount desires and probably your critical tendencies [illegible] those of other people. A well-mannered manner of expressing yourself may prove most affective, if you have occasion to remember a [illegible] temperament you need to be well suited to become a perfect shop operator, a [illegible] bookkeeper, a [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

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ALL DIVISIONS WILL PRACTICE

Ten District A.R.P. Rehearsals Start in James Bay On Wednesday

All sections of Victoria's A.R.P. organization and their auxiliary services will take part in the ten district rehearsals to be staged here on successive Wednesdays during the next few weeks, Inspector A. H. Bishop, civilian protection officer, said yesterday.

The first practice is set for James Bay district next Wednesday at 8 p.m.

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City engineering branches will take care of [illegible] bombs. They will also attend to broken water mains and damage to police property.

Various fire department apparatus, crews and rescue [illegible] will be in evidence, as well as [illegible] Members of the Women's Ambulance Corps will have charge of the six ambulances. St. John Ambulance workers will assist at first-aid.

Part of the squad of ten motor cycles, attached to the city A.R.P. will be used in connection. They will be under the direction of Richard Stanley. High school boys trained for the purpose will serve as [illegible] messengers.

Members of the Canadian Auxiliary Territorial Service will assist in administrative and clerical duties at the central control room.

Fire watch practice will be under the supervision of [illegible] James Bay district warden. Capt. [illegible] will act as air-raid [illegible]

With the practice through A.R.P. division next Wednesday evening, it will take three hours to complete the ten practices. From the completion of the series A.R.P. [illegible] will stage practices to maintain their efficiency, Inspector Bishop said.

Obituary

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Victoria fire department and police branch and other units will be on hand to deal with fires, explosions and incendiary bombs. City police will rope off danger areas.

The Red Cross will be represented at the district office and will provide first-aid personnel in addition to female Members of the Women's Ambulance Corps will have charge of the six ambulances. St. John Ambulance workers will assist at first aid.

Part of the squad of ten motor cyclists attached to the city A.R.P. will assist in communication. They will be under the direction of Richard Sharples. High school boys trained for the purpose will serve as foot messengers.

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Fire alarm practices will be under the supervision of K. J. Oatley, fire hall district warden. Capt. D. J. ePrrault will act as at adviser at the fire chief's room.

With the practices of the A.R.P. district every Wednesday evening, it will be impossible to continue the practices [illegible] the completion of the series. A.R.P. sector leaders within the individual districts will stage practices to maintain their efficiency, Inspector Bishop said.

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WOOD—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on April 28, Wesley Hood, late member of Wesley Hood and [illegible] Hood. He was a native of Ontario, aged 64 and has a resident of Victoria for the past [illegible] He is survived by his [illegible] Mrs. E. Hood. He was a member of the Fraternal Order of Eagles. Funeral service will be held from the Sands Funeral Chapel, Fort and Quadra Streets, on Monday, May 4, at 2:30 p.m. Rev. Dr. Campbell Brown will officiate. Interment will follow in the Royal Oak Burial Park. [illegible]

[illegible] tion took place at Royal Oak Crematorium.

[illegible] Matthew Lynn died at her home, 3262 Fleming Street, Vancouver, on [illegible] Mr. [illegible] Stevenston, Scotland. She had lived in Victoria many years before making her home in Vancouver two [illegible] Rev. H. G. A. Miller will [illegible] at the funeral service at Sands Funeral Chapel, Fort and Quadra Streets, on Monday, May 4, at 2:30 p.m. Interment will follow in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

Three Brothers in Army

These three smart-looking soldier brothers, serving with the Royal Canadian Ordnance Corps are, from left, Ptes. David, Owen and George Simpson, natives of Victoria. They are sons of Mr. and Mrs. George Y. Simpson, 2796 Dufferin Street, Oak Bay. Owen, twenty-three, and George, twenty-five, recently arrived in England while David, twenty-one, is stationed at Nanaimo. The brothers attended Mount Douglas and Oak Bay High Schools.

City and District

City Temperatures — Maximum [illegible] had time to till it and plant potatoes [illegible] 44

Seeks Women [illegible] M. Tait, [illegible] Mrs. [illegible] Mrs. [illegible] Mrs.

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1 BIRTHS

HUMPHRIES—To Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Humphries, at Nanaimo Hospital, on May 1, 1942, a son.

CAREY—To Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Carey (nee Lucy A. Thompson), a daughter, on May 27, at King's Daughters' Hospital, Duncan.

MORRIS—To Constable and Mrs. Grant Morris, a son, on May 1, at Victoria.

2 DEATHS

MACKINTOSH—At his residence, Glanford P.O., on April 30, 1942, Charles Mackintosh, aged [illegible] years, a native of Ontario, a resident of Victoria for the past [illegible] years, late resident of 945 Pandora Street. He is survived by his sorrowing wife, [illegible] Mackintosh, at 945 Pandora Street; one son, Mr. Ross Mackintosh, of Victoria; one brother, Mr. [illegible] Mackintosh, of Victoria; one sister, Mrs. [illegible] Mackintosh, of Victoria. Funeral service will be held in the Thomas Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Monday, at 2.30 p.m., Rev. F. W. Hibbert officiating. Interment in Ross Bay Cemetery.

WRIGHT—Hicks, Doris passed away on April [illegible] at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Victoria, aged [illegible] years, a native of Victoria, B.C., and a resident of Victoria for the past [illegible] years, late residence 945 Pandora Street. She is survived by her husband, Mr. [illegible] Wright, and [illegible] Mr. Ross Mackintosh, of Victoria; one brother, Mr. [illegible] Mackintosh, of Victoria; one sister, Mrs. [illegible] Mackintosh, of Victoria. Funeral service will be held in the Thomas Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Monday, at 2.30 p.m., Rev. F. W. Hibbert officiating. Interment in Ross Bay Cemetery.

PEDERSEN—There passed away Friday morning at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Victoria, B.C., Peter Miller Pedersen, late of Duncan, B.C., aged [illegible] years. He is survived by his loving wife, [illegible] Pedersen, of Duncan, B.C.; one son, [illegible] Pedersen, of Duncan, B.C.; one daughter, Mrs. [illegible] Kaltenbach, of Duncan, B.C.; one brother, [illegible] Pedersen, of Duncan, B.C.; one sister, Mrs. [illegible] Pedersen, of Duncan, B.C.; and one grandson, Mrs. J. D. Blackford, both in Vancouver. Funeral service will be held from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Monday, at 1.30 p.m., Rev. F. W. Hibbert officiating. Interment in Ross Bay Cemetery.

THOMPSON—There passed away April [illegible] at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Victoria, B.C., [illegible] Thompson, late of [illegible], aged [illegible] years. He is survived by his loving wife, [illegible] Thompson, of [illegible]; one son, [illegible] Thompson, of [illegible]; one daughter, [illegible] Thompson, of [illegible]; one brother, [illegible] Thompson, of [illegible]; one sister, [illegible] Thompson, of [illegible]. Funeral service will be held from [illegible] on [illegible], at [illegible] p.m., Rev. [illegible] officiating. Interment in [illegible] Cemetery.

LEAN—[illegible] Lean, late of [illegible], aged [illegible] years. He is survived by his loving wife, [illegible] Lean, of [illegible]; one son, [illegible] Lean, of [illegible]; one daughter, [illegible] Lean, of [illegible]; one brother, [illegible] Lean, of [illegible]; one sister, [illegible] Lean, of [illegible]. Funeral service will be held from [illegible] on [illegible], at [illegible] p.m., Rev. [illegible] officiating. Interment in [illegible] Cemetery.

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RUMMAGE SALE, WEDNESDAY, MAY 6, 2:30 p.m. 607 Yates Street. Near Government.

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50 ROOMS WANTED

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FURNISHED AND UNFURNISHED housekeeping rooms from $[illegible] Mason.

TWO HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS, [illegible] in every respect. Phone E [illegible]

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57 WANTED TO RENT—HOUSES

57A FURNISHED

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88th (RESERVE) FIELD BATTERY, R.C.A.

Battery orders by Lieut. R. I. Chanonier, M.C., officer commanding, Bay Street Armoury, Victoria, B.C.

Duties for week ending 9-5-42: Orderly officer, 2nd Lt. W. J. R. Peers.

Parades: Tuesday, May 5, Bay Street Armoury, 8 p.m. Inside Training. Thursday, May 7, Bay Street Armoury, 8 p.m. Gun Drill.

NCO's School: NCO's will parade at Bay Street Armoury, under S.M.I. Brown, R.C.A., at 8 p.m. on Friday, May 8, 1942.

Qualification of NCO's: Lectures for the rank of sergeant, under command of Sgt. Major, Part I, K41404 A-Sgt. M. T. E. Ashton, K41428 A-Bdr. J. Rayburn, K414081 A-Bdr. S. R. Rowland, etc., K41306 Gnr. I. G. Davies, K414039 Gnr. J. W. Fell, K415068 Gnr. N. E. Impett, K41401 Gnr. R. D. Jeanneau, K41419 Gnr. R. W. Patrick, K412127 Gnr. G. S. Soutar, K412132 Gnr. B. Vallee.

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R. I. CHANONER, Lieut., O.C. 88th (Reserve) Field Battery, R.C.A.

3rd RESERVE BATTALION, THE CANADIAN SCOTTISH REGIMENT (M.G.)

Battalion orders by Lieut.-Col. F. B. Logan, D.S.O., officer commanding.

Parades: Monday, May 4, 1942, 8 p.m. Lecture on Map Reading by Lieut. C. F. Davis, R.C.A. Tuesday, May 5, 1942, 8 p.m. Lecture on Gunnery by 2nd Lieut. C. F. Bell-Irving, R.C.A. Wednesday, May 6, 1942, 8 p.m. Lecture on Signals by Lieut. A. Hodgson, R.C.A. Thursday, May 7, 1942, 8 p.m. Lecture on Gunnery by Lieut. C. F. Davis, R.C.A. Friday, May 8, 1942, 8 p.m. Lecture on Signals by Lieut. A. Hodgson, R.C.A.

Duties for week ending 9-5-42: Orderly officer, 2nd Lieut. L. Graham. Next for duty, 2nd Lieut. W. G. Gosnell. Orderly sergeant for week ending 9-5-42, K50038 Cpl. W. J. Sweet. Next for duty, K50038 Cpl. J. W. Hancock.

Parades: Monday, May 4, 1942, company will parade at Bay Street Armoury at 19.45 hours, commanding officer's inspection at 20.00 hours. Sergeants' messing classes for those desiring remainder of battalion training as per syllabus. Dress: battle order with respirators. Wednesday, May 6, 1942, company will parade at Bay Street Armoury at 19.45 hours, training as per syllabus. Dress: battle order with respirators. Friday, May 8, 1942, company will parade at Bay Street Armoury at 20.00 hours. Dress: drill order. Saturday, May 9, 1942, range practice will be carried out at Hyde Range, personnel will be detailed at company parade. Dress: battle order with respirators.

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For officer commanding 3rd (R.O. Battalion, The Canadian Scottish Regiment (M.G.).

131st INFANTRY RESERVE COY. VETERANS GUARD OF CANADA (R.C.A.)

Company orders by Major J. A. Deane, officer commanding.

Duties: Orderly officer for week ending 4-5-42, Lieut. L. Graham. Next for duty, 2nd Lieut. W. G. Gosnell. Orderly sergeant for week ending 4-5-42, K50038 Cpl. W. J. Sweet. Next for duty, K50038 Cpl. J. W. Hancock.

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15th RESERVE FIELD AMBULANCE, R.C.A.M.C.

Orders by Major A. B. Nash, officer commanding.

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Murder on the Avenue

By CAROLYN WELLS

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CHAPTER XXX

The four men came

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GENERAL STORE SALES IN COUNTRY HIGHER

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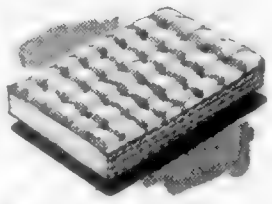

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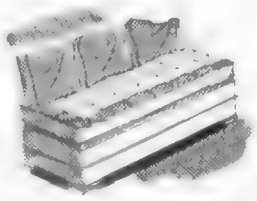

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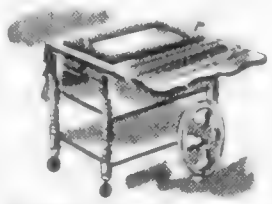

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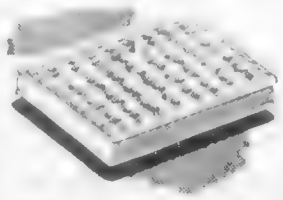

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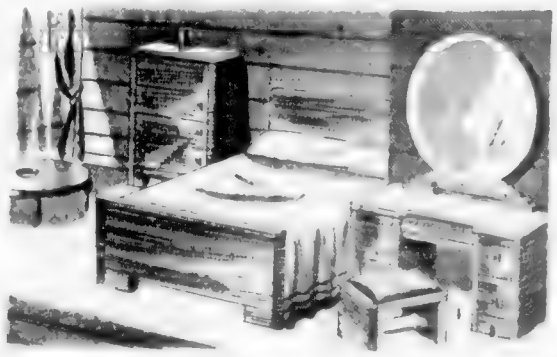

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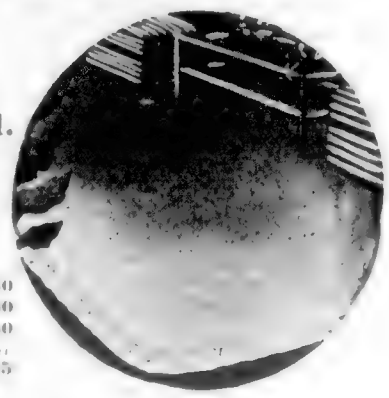

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"Reconnaissance"

By MICHAEL M. DEAN

Bren Gun Nest

Captain C. E. S. Wallis, Officer Commanding Boxing Detachment

of hostilities on the Pacific. Composed of men who once grew the world-famous Canadian wheat, today they are busily engaged in the protection and defence of our shores against any invading enemy. They work by day and by night.

After visiting various defence positions around the Coast I received permission to accompany, with several other pressmen, the Major by [illegible] Commanding Officer Coast Defences, Lieut.-Col. P. H. B. Cooper, Chief Commanding Royal Canadian Corps of Signals, on the inspection mentioned below.

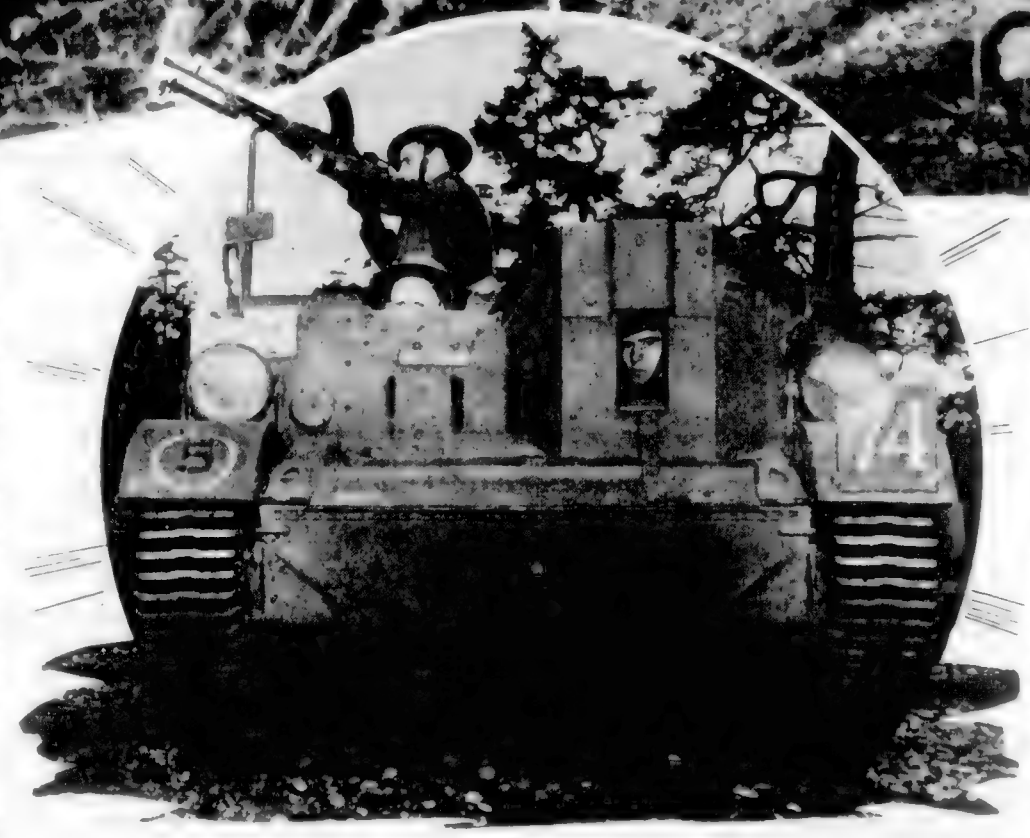
I had been at the Coast about three days before this came off. I was quartered [illegible] and I was awakened by the bugle. I did not see Sergt. Young at all as we were in camp where the detachments' duties do not commence before 7 o'clock. After a quick breakfast [illegible] we were ready to start.

Arriving at Camp

[illegible] Major [illegible] and myself, [illegible] Lieut.-Col. Cooper, Major [illegible] and Sergt. Young. The weather was perfect. The sun was shining brightly and there was a slight breeze blowing. [illegible] Sergt. Young [illegible] I was told that [illegible] the camp.

After [illegible] I knew I was in for a comfortable time. It does make such a difference when you get a good cook. This, I soon found, is what Sergt. Young is. [illegible] from active service. When I was introduced to the [illegible] I found my name already on [illegible]

Sergt. Young [illegible] Captain C. E. S. Wallis, [illegible] Officer Commanding Boxing Detachment. I was then introduced to Lieut. [illegible] Signals Major. He was [illegible] and on a personal basis. In the office equipped with [illegible] immediately use [illegible]



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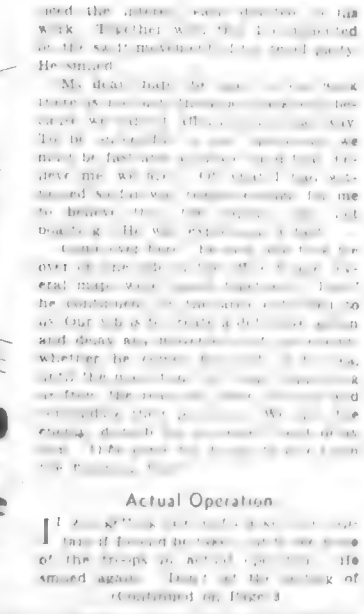


Scouting Through the Bush, the Tommy Gun Has Replaced the Rifle in This Kind of Warfare

[illegible] need the [illegible] were [illegible] in the week. Together with [illegible] I inspected all the [illegible] and [illegible] guns. He [illegible] me.

My duties [illegible] were [illegible] there [illegible] and [illegible] me [illegible] I [illegible] the Major. To be [illegible] in some [illegible] we must be [illegible] [illegible] to [illegible] me we [illegible]. Of course I was [illegible] and he [illegible] me [illegible] to believe [illegible] [illegible] shooting. He was [illegible].

Continuing [illegible] we went [illegible] over [illegible] several maps [illegible] the [illegible] so as [illegible] and delay [illegible] whether [illegible] and [illegible] from [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] Major [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Definitely A Nitwit

By Rosamond du Jardin

JUDD EVANS looked up, startled, as the grey coupe rounded the sign that read 'Evans' Kennels' and swung on to his rutted drive. It headed straight for him, coming fast, and then as he leaped hastily aside its driver applied brakes belatedly and gravel spurted from beneath its tires. Black Malcolm started to bark and the rest of the dogs immediately followed suit. From within the car came a sharp explosion of answering yelps. For a moment the din was terrific.

As the window slid down a wet dark nose protruded inquisitively. A pair of limpid golden eyes regarded Judd with mute reproach. Beyond the dog a girl was leaning on the wheel. Her face was vaguely familiar, although Judd couldn't place it for sure. She was one of those fresh-looking little girls that turn up all around one somehow. It had just passed through Judd's head that he'd like to see more of her when she spoke.

"Is Mr. Christopher Evans here?"

Judd nodded. "He's my father."

"Oh, I'm so glad!" Shelby said. "I'm Shelby Lane. And I've simply got to talk to him. It's terribly important."

Judd's heart sank. Another of those females who thought Chris was a combination of Dr. Kildare and Father Divine. Well, he'd have to get rid of her. He said politely, "I'm sorry, but he's away on business. He won't be back for a week."

"A week!" Shelby's face fell. "Oh, I've got to see him before then. I've got to!"

Judd shook his head. "I'm afraid you'll have to wait. Is there anything I can do?"

"Yes, there is something you can do. You can tell me where I can find him. I'll drive down to Seattle and see him there."

Judd grinned. "Sorry, but I don't know myself. He's somewhere in Washington on business, so I've had all my evenings to devote to Rusty. But while I'm at work he's under my apartment. I'm sure he has as much attention as I can ever give him, but you can understand how I wouldn't want him to stay there all day."

But what Judd was prepared to forgive in absently dashing off on business was not to be overlooked by Shelby.

"Oh, I don't mean to board him. Sure, it's nothing of great importance. I'm only bringing him the most precious thing in the world. Surely you can't be so stubborn as to refuse me!"

Judd's face hardened. "I'm sorry, Miss Lane, but I'm not in the habit of doing favors for people I don't know. Your friend would have to wait."

Shelby's face became pale with anger. "You're a fine one to talk about favors! If it weren't for me, Rusty would be dead. I'm the one who saved his life. And I'm not your friend. I've never met him. I'm a stranger to him. I'm the one who's been worried sick about him. I'm the one who's been driving night and day to get here. I'm the one who's been sick with fear that he'd die before I could get him to you. And you're the one who's been so cruel and heartless that you won't even let me see him. You're a beast! You're a monster! You're—you're a nitwit!"

Judd's face was expressionless. "What do you want me to do with such a dog?"

Shelby's face became pale. She stood for a moment looking at him. Then she said, "I'll tell you what I'll do with him. I'll give him to you. I'll sign a paper right now. I'll never see him again. I'll never even think about him. I'll—I'll—" Her voice broke. She turned and ran back to the car.

Judd called after her, "Wait a minute. Don't be a fool. You can't leave him here. He's sick. He needs attention."

Shelby's head appeared in the window. "I'm not a fool. I'm a nitwit. You said so yourself. And I'm not coming back. I'm never coming back. I'm never going to see Rusty again. I'm never going to see you again. I'm never going to see anybody again. I'm going to be alone for the rest of my life because I've acted like a Bronchial and let a man get away from me. I'm going to be alone because I've acted like a nitwit about these last few days. I'm going to be alone because I'm a nitwit. I'm a nitwit. I'm a nitwit.

Three Archbishops

A Tribute by Dr. A. F. Winnington Ingram, Bishop of London, 1901 to 1939

I MUST bear in mind, while I write this short article the thousands of young student men and women whom I addressed in 1926 at twenty-two universities of the U.S.A. and the men and women to whom I spoke at so many meetings in Canada, Australasia and New Zealand for I understand that these are the people whom London Calling reaches.

Therefore I am not going to [illegible] appeal against the [illegible] whose [illegible] the Lambeth Conference [illegible] the appointment of [illegible] two Archbishops [illegible] remember them as good men. Cosmo [illegible] a good prelate. What I [illegible] fear, that you should [illegible] hear a [illegible] to about "Old Bill" Temple. Both [illegible] his position was [illegible] Both [illegible] with a real [illegible]

I was [illegible] Cosmo Lang, [illegible] from the [illegible] and [illegible] Then [illegible] Head

I first met [illegible] a Bishop [illegible] and a [illegible] when [illegible] the Oxford [illegible] of [illegible] End of [illegible] of March I [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Showery Weather Up-Island

By Robert Connell

IN that chapter of the last volume of his "Modern Painters" which he calls "The Angel of the Sea," Ruskin asks an interesting question. "We have seen how mountains are beautiful; how trees are beautiful; how sun-lighted clouds are beautiful, but can rain be beautiful?" And I suppose most of us at times think a wet day synonymous with general dullness and flatness and depression, the very negation of light and joy and beauty. However as with so many things in life there is more than one side to a rainy day. In one of Leech's incomparable Punch drawings we see two anglers in a terry d'wnpour when the distant scenery is but a blur of grey. One of them suggests to the other a boat-house by the side of a lake, the other stands pathetically beside with his rod under his arm. Says the [illegible] "I'll do that if you'll say you said about the fish." To which he friend on the roof replies, [illegible] off. What a pleasant drawing-room chap you are. You [illegible] a days [illegible] and [illegible] a [illegible] [illegible] to [illegible] the [illegible] of the power of a [illegible] idea.

[illegible] Speaking [illegible] to the weather, I [illegible] the [illegible] of [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Skilled in Defensive Now Ready for Offensive Action

Canadian Soldiers Wait for Day to Enter Struggle

By KIM BEATTIE

WITH THE FIRST CANADIAN CORPS (OVERSEAS).—Long before this 1942 Canadian Corps was born, the prediction of all prospective relatives and friends and, likewise, its potential enemies, was that it would be a particularly tough chip off the old hard-fighting block. It was confidently felt that the new military embryo would embody most of its warrior forbear's training-ground habits and aggressive battlefield characteristics, plus great speed and hitting power through mechanization.

It would be scornful of obsolete customs and impatient with outworn rule books and doctrines. Its personality would be marked by vigor, resource and complete self-reliance. It would be grimly cheerful and resolute on defence and, most assuredly, a terror to its foes on the attack. This last, above all.

For that remarkable combination of attributes, native Canadian initiative and aggression, has given its fighting predecessor renowned skill and success in offensive operations. If they proved hereditary traits, they promised that the Canadian Army would be made to order for the expected open warfare of the looming clashes of mechanized armies.

All early predictions came true. From its first day, the military new-arrival evinced every sign of being lusty, independent-minded and arrogantly confident. As an infant it was a bit unruly and unorthodox, but it is plainly bursting with the old energy, the old audacity, and unquenchable fighting spirit. Before the end of September, 1939, the 1st Division began squalling for permission to stand up and fight.

Play Attacker's Role

The First Canadian Corps has never stopped clamoring to get into the struggle. Throughout its early training and equipping it continued to hope for an attacker's role, and all through the long period of growth and expansion the destiny at which it aimed, and toward which Canada looked in its behalf, was a major share in great British offensives against the common enemy.

But then came the collapse of our Allies, followed by reorganization of all British land forces.

It was at once seen that the Canadian Corps' offensive propensities were to be given full opportunity when the chance came. The scientific soldiers who had been preparing themselves to become its mentors, teachers and leaders for years, had also been preaching wheels, wings, gasoline and armored plate ever since the last war. The events preceding Dunkerque gave them their chance to set about making the Corps an exceedingly fast-moving and immensely powerful replica of its famous assault-skilled forbear.

They gave it unusually high fire-power in guns, and an exceptionally high proportion of tanks for hitting strength. In other words, the Canadian Army planners provided the tools and transport to make it the mighty offensive weapon which Canada expected and desired. The rest depended on grooming.

It has been no one's fault that this great young war-machine, which was born with such confident expectations of early fame in offensive battles, was chosen to hold a defensive position in the British Isles.

Blame it on the exigencies of war. Blame it on geography and shipping. Blame it on the roll of events in this unpredictable conflict which suddenly made the Island Kingdom the most momentously crucial position of the far-spread struggle. The Canadians were already there; with other troops the responsibility of holding fast became theirs. That was all.

Kept Assault-Minded

The unexpected defence role, brought about by the fortunes of war, was a bitter disappointment to the men of the Corps. To its leaders the situation created a difficult problem. There could be no thought of abandoning the basic purpose of the Canadian Corps as a major offensive weapon. Somehow, mainly by careful planning of the training process, the Corps had to be kept assault-minded and offensive in tactical skill and ability, while always equipped, armed and trained, and ready at any hour, for the threatening "invasion battle." No phase of their defensive preparations could be neglected.

As we previously wrote, how the Canadian Corps has been built into an immensely powerful two-way machine will some day constitute a unique record in military chronicles. For it has been achieved.

It has been done by fostering the Corps' offensive propensities in every possible field exercise and practice of their tactical defensive training. It has been done by unceasing concentration on that dual purpose—to groom for offensive battle while training for a possible defensive fight.

That may sound simple, but all experienced soldiers will confirm that it is difficult to do. The fact that the Canadian Corps possesses great strength in tanks—a definite assault weapon—only points to the offensive purpose of the Corps as a tactical formation. To be successful in blitzkrieg warfare all the supporting ancillaries and artillery, and all the mass of the formation—the infantry and machine guns must be attack-trained and assault-minded. For a successful blitzkrieg does not merely mean the first hard stroke of the tanks; it means the full power of all arms and services coming behind, exploiting the first blow and consolidating for the second, third, fourth, so that they can be dealt in such quick and demoralizing succession that the original intensified power and fury is sustained, and so that the momentum of attack, which is the great secret, is maintained.

That is the Canadian conception of the blitzkrieg, and that is how the Canadian Corps has been trained to assault even while guarding Britain's vulnerable coasts. Every fighting arm, every supporting service, is dual purpose.

Training of Ancillaries

Take the ancillaries first. Training for close-knit cohesion and quick contact between the supply and ammunition columns and their fighting arms, is obviously as valuable for future assault as for prospective defence. An observer instantly notes that the Royal Canadian Army Service Corps, in intensively training for open, shifting battles, ignores the actual static position of the troops they supply. Everything is kept flexible. The Royal Canadian Ordnance Corps has grown unbelievably since the last war, and all their field practices are directed toward keeping the mechanized forces rolling. The engineers are likewise blitz-warriors first of all, trained to stop tanks in defence, but also to bridge and repair communications and to be a great influence in holding the speed of advance.

Then the artillery. In the new warfare, the guns are generally looked upon as strickly defensive weapons by the public. The tanks and the low-level bomber of today's campaigns seem to have taken over much of the artillery's job in the trench-locked war, that of blasting out a road for the infantry. But the guns of field batteries, and the grim field-hows, have proven their value in recent campaigns. The "crash action" training of gun crews and greater mobility, has helped them keep pace with the swifter war. The Canadian artilleryman is such an advocate of speed in getting into action that his weapons will always be up with the attack.

But is is in the training habits of the great mass of the Army—the infantry and machine guns—which most clearly disclose the intention and probably ability of the whole force in its future operations. The armored corps may be more spectacular, but it is still the footslogger who carries the great share of the "blood, sweat and tears" of the battlefield, who gives his army its true character and personality.

Is Shock-Trooper

Watching the full-striding, stalwart Canadian infantryman in any of his diverse training exercises gives the observer one outstanding impression and comfort; he is a shock-trooper first of all. All his varied activities are marked by offensive attributes; on the attack the Canadian is most keen and interested, and always he converts a defensive field practice to an offensive operation.

In his entire training syllabus there is watchfulness that this natural belligerency is fostered. Leadership sees that he becomes skilled and conversant with every possible device, ruse, weapon, formation and tactic of aggressive warfare.

There is no more ardent student of commando-type tactics than the Canadian infantryman. The stealth, endurance and elements of surprise and furious hand-to-hand fighting, appeals to his self-reliant and adventurous spirit. It is offensive so he loves it, and it will make him a better all-round fighting man whether he raids, attacks or faces attack.

The stealth patrols, tank ambushes and tank-laager raids as practised by the Canadian infantryman in England are all offensive forms of defence. So are the combined Canadian-British Home Guard field exercises, with the latter's role much more static than that of the Canadians. The latter will be offensively fighting from the moment the invasion "balloon goes up."

This widespread preference for tactics which defend by attacking is particularly evident in the field training which this observer contends is the most valuable of all Canadian preparation efforts. I refer to their aptly named "Battle Drill."

Only the arrival of the tank caused greater upheaval in the tactical training and habits of Canadian infantry than the adoption of Battle Drill. It has not only changed the methods of carrying out what the last war's infantry knew as "skirmishing" an "open order" field practice; it has made these interesting and life-saving exercises many times more graphic, battle-realistic and valuable for every man taking part.

The earnest rehearsal of Battle Drill tactics has practically eliminated the parade-square, even ceremonials, in the training syllabus of Canadian infantry. That means they are learning teamwork and precision in the field instead of on parade. They are learning to fight instead of square-push.

The old "form fours" and "wheels" and "inclines" and close-order drill of British regiments on the parade-ground were derived from the actual movements on the battlefield of the days of Waterloo. For instance, armies were actually formed in line and then wheeled and inclined to keep facing the enemy. The new Battle Drill is similar to this extent: It is movement of today's troops in the actual tactical formations they will use in almost any offensive action on today's actual battlefields.

A veteran of the last war can visualize the new tactical field rehearsal by recalling "artillery formation"—designed to move troops through shell areas with a minimum of casualties. In Battle Drill, troops are similarly openly formed in order to avoid casualties, but also to quicken deployment and manoeuvrability while still retaining the controlled formation of the "fighting team."

Every officer, N.C.O. and man has a definite job to do in the Battle Drill "fighting team." That is so whether training is for the smallest combat unit, a section or when an entire division is carrying out a tactic.

There is no limit to the situations improvised by the Canadians—everything from outflanking and encircling a group of "paratroops," who must be ousted by a pincer operation from a copse, to the "storming" of a city, is carried out. Literally, scores of possible tactical situations confront attacking troops are given their own identity signal, and are then carried through without further orders.

By the passing of the key word, each man automatically knows what must be done and what part he must play.

Battle Drill has led to remarkable stimulation of junior-leader thought. Resource and initiative are constantly in demand. One of the most confidence-inspiring military demonstrations I ever witnessed was to watch the Canadians calling upon the national traits which gave them shock-troop greatness in the last war, in overcoming surprise obstacles and unexpected situations in Battle Drill. Independence of thought and action is encouraged.

This is one reason why it has become so popular. A second reason is that the troops can understand the why and wherefore of every order and command, things which only the staff formerly clearly knew. The Canadian private can see the solid sense of the training process as no soldier ever saw it before, and therefore the Canadian is perhaps the most contented and enthusiastic soldier-in-training in all history.

The Drill Sergeant

Unexpectedly, the carping, fault-finding, bull-voiced drill-sergeant of the old barrack-yard has been revived for the elementary stages of modern Battle Drill. When the small combat team goes out to learn how to "attack" a farm, a wood, a machine gun "nest" or a concentration of "paratroopers," he is along. He lacks his spike-moustache, and he carries a Tommy gun instead of a swagger stick, and he uses its live ammunition to startle students into the realization that they are in plain view of the enemy. But he is still the critical, invaluable soldier-maker. Instead of creating drill-square perfection he is manufacturing versatile fighting men. And in his resurrection he is not a hated man.

As a rule two instructors watch over each section as they learn the rudiments of taking cover, advancing, attacking. Each harsh admonition, even in the last hour of a long, weary day, has much personal value in it, as their eagle eye watches every move of the skirmishers. The nerve-grating repetition of corrections and commands make sense as the drill-instructor's seemingly meaningless orders on the drill-square never made sense. As a matter of fact, that hoarse, sometimes caustic and irate, and always commanding and dominating, voice is generally telling the soldier how NOT to get himself killed. So is that seethe of bullets overhead from Tommy-gun or Bren.

The Canadian soldier takes the incessant correction and direction, which follow him over fields, through hedges and rivers, through streets, barnyards and woods, up and down dale in surprisingly good part. He sees the wisdom of the persistence, and clearly pictures the whole purpose and plan of the miniature or large-scale infiltration tactic. The reason of his arduous day in mock-battle is clear, and when Canadian soldiers understand they are traditionally willing and keen. They are eager to cram into their time before action all the "team fighting" they can.

Much has been written to explain that Battle Drill is based on the infiltration or pincer tactic of Von Huller, which was evolved to defeat entrenched machine guns in lieu of time for the Germans to mass-produce tanks. Its success in March, 1918, against the British Fifth Army, is history. On a larger scale, and utilizing panzer divisions, it defeated the French infantry army in 1940.

Actually, however, the base of Battle Drill is merely adherence to the ancient and well-proven military axiom which said: "Exploit success, but never reinforce defeat."

It means finding an easy way through the enemy's position by filtering between and around the strong points and then sweeping on, full-out. In the final victorious phases of 1918 we were utilizing such methods to advantage, both in ground won and in cutting down casualties. A revision of British and Canadian tactical practices took place before the salient features were then incorporated into our fighting habits, and now a major revolution has, in effect, occurred to give our battlefield methods a new foundation.

Detailed Instruction

It means that the Canadians will not be confused when they come against skilled German street-fighters. Their "storming" of farm buildings, villages and towns includes detailed instruction in the distinctly individual art of war known as house-fighting. Rehearsal in the dangerous things to do and the sensible methods to follow, will see them adept at this and all other forms of close-quarter work.

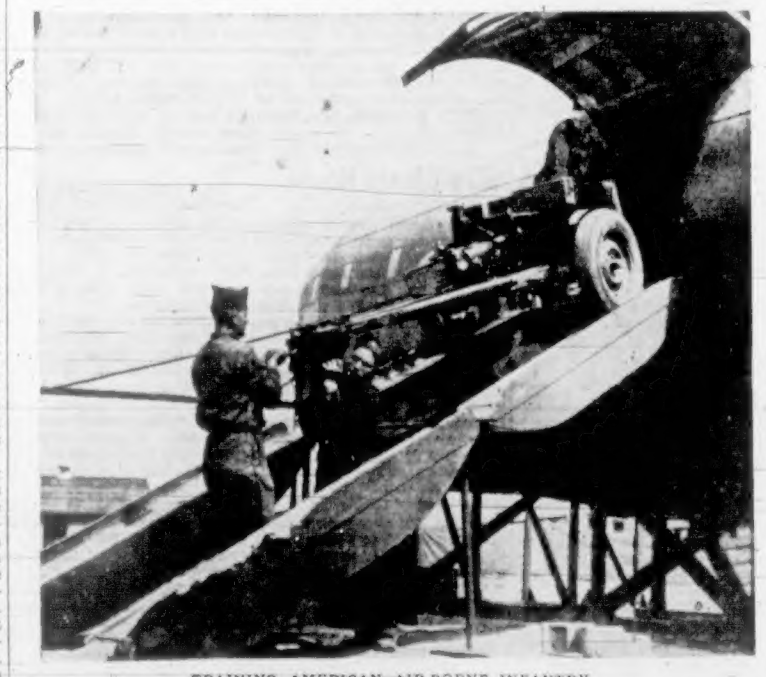
It means that the Canadian infantryman has enthusiastically acquired remarkable ability in two-way fighting.

His new tactics will immensely strengthen him in beating back an aerial horde; for even the small combat team is trained instantly to launch an attack on scattered nests of paratroopers before they can become organized to start serious sectional fighting.

Similarly, the new fighting methods of the Canadian Corps will surely prove a tremendous asset in the armored-infantry assaults of the battles of decision, which every Canadian soldier feels is his destiny. For unless the infantry is swift, skilful and strong in attacking behind tanks, and in following up that first powerful blow, no assault can fully succeed. The tanks can create the breach, but the infantry must fill, exploit and hold it. The Canadians' defensive tuition today in Battle Drill tactics will thus be offensively valuable tomorrow.

It means, too, that Canadians at home can rest assured that their troops will not be launched in costal frontal assault on the last war's mistaken theory that if enough men are kept bulling at impregnable bastions something will have to give. The deadly (to ourselves) "waves advancing in methodical progression" of British infantry of the Somme and of Passchendaele are as dead in our military habits as the gallant men who formed those doomed "waves" which pitted human courage and heroism against barb-wire and machine guns.

A bitter pill to swallow was the defence role that had to be assumed by the 1st Canadian Corps overseas, but at no time since its arrival in the Old Country has the corps lost sight of the leading part that it is unquestionably destined to play when British invasion of the continent takes place. The corps has been built into an immense two-way fighting machine and the hard, gruelling training it has had has made it second to none as a defensive as well as an offensive force. The troops, itching always to carry the battle onto the enemy's own soil, are daily adding to their knowledge of hard-hitting offensive action. At left is a typical shock-trooper infantryman of the corps. At upper right is one of the corps' numerous tanks—a powerful assault weapon—and lower right gives an idea of the intensive training that the troops are receiving in offensive operations.



TRAINING AMERICAN AIR-BORNE INFANTRY

One of the phases in the training of United States Army air-borne infantry is shown above. Troops of a cloud army unit are shown loading an anti-aircraft gun into a dummy transport plane fuselage of the exact dimensions they will have in performing the real thing. Sirable guns and even combat cars can be carried by plane.

Helen's Crusade Zeal Leads to a Double Surprise

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charge Michael, but she insisted. The petition is his idea—an excuse to take pi mback."

"Good!" Warren blotting his signature with an emphatic thud.

"I think it's wonderful of you to do this." Helen's emotional tribute. "He means so much to the house."

"Yes, and excepting Mrs. Creel's," with a laugh, "I've all the signatures but the Gunters'. Now I must run up for theirs. And next week we'll have Michael at the door!"

Back from the hall, Helen darting gleefully to the ball of fur on the couch.

"Huh, no exuberant hugs for her," chuckled Warren, as Pussy Purr-Mew streaked from the room. "Nor for me either. Now sit down and behave yourself!"

"But it's all so wonderful!" she said, rumplingsaid, rumpling his hair. "And I don't have to anguish over the way Mrs. Creel—Oh, I didn't mean to tell you!"

"She squelched you plenty, eh? Holding up the very dame who had him fired! That's a hot one, Kitten."

"And dear, she was so arrogant," twisting his sleeve-button. "She made me feel——But it doesn't matter, I'm glad I tried."

"Can't see you had such a heluva lot to do with it," he grinned.

"Maybe not directly. Oh, I can't explain——But perhaps just trying to help——just thinking right——Well anyway, it's coming out right. Michael'll be back next week!"

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Japanese Tried To Hold Writer

A BRITISH PORT—Japanese military police are worse than the Gestapo, according to British subjects who left Japan a few days before the outbreak of war.

Douglas Young, a journalist at Kobe, said, when he arrived here with a small party of refugees, that the military police attempted to prevent him from leaving by keeping him in prison for three days without food while they tried to frame a charge of espionage against him.

"The police knocked me about and treated me as if I was a coolie," he said. "My wife was also arrested and put in another section of the prison. They could not find any evidence against me and the British Embassy demanded our release.

"The Japanese were hypocritical and eventually we were allowed to go, but without any apology. Apparently we knew too much and there was little doubt the Japanese military police acted in accordance with German advisers who arrived in Tokio eight months ago."

"PEEP" AT WORK IN DESERT

It is a far cry from Detroit, and this "peep" car seems perfectly at home in the desert as it is everywhere else. The sun-helmeted dispatch rider has just arrived in the "peep" with a message for the commanding officer of a company of King George's Own Bengal Sappers and Miners Regiment in the Western desert.

Arctic Padre Now Chaplain In Army Camp

By ALLAN NICKLESON
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

SOMEWHERE IN ENGLAND—A little man who covered a vast Arctic Anglican diocese by dog team and boat, Rev. H. R. Rokeby-Thomas has undergone more adventure in the thirty-odd years than most people find in a lifetime. Now he's in England "on the greatest adventure of all," padre at a Canadian army reinforcement unit camp.

Padre Rokeby-Thomas went to the Arctic in 1934—he was married there two years later—and spent five years preaching the gospel and ministering to the wants of his parishoners—700 Eskimos and twenty whites—over an area of approximately 100,000 square miles. He was posted to St. George's Mission, Cambridge Bay, Victoria Land, after graduation from Wycliffe College in Toronto.

Married in North

It was a lonely, hard existence with regular visits interrupted occasionally by calls to officiate at burials and marriages among the Netsilik Tribe, which the padre termed "the last of the really primitive Eskimos."

After two years of traveling about the diocese with an Eskimo guide, the padre sent for his fiancee, Anna Roszell of Guelph, Ont., and they were married at Coppermine, Northwest Territories after she traveled to Edmonton by train and flew the remaining 1,200 miles. The padre reached Coppermine on the sturdy Royal Canadian Mounted Police schooner St. Roch, which took seven days to cover the 300-mile stretch through ice floes.

Bishop Icebound

Rt. Rev. A. L. Fleming, Bishop of the Arctic, was scheduled to perform the ceremony but his ship became ice-bound while he was on a tour. Rokeby-Thomas and his bride were married August 10, 1936, by Canon J. H. Webster, of Coppermine, graduate of Emmanuel College at Saskatoon, Sask., then returned to the lonely Arctic wastes on the schooner Aklavik, owned by the Hudson's Bay Company.

They left the mission in 1939 and returned to Ontario by air and train and the minister was posted to the Diocese of Huron with a pastorate at Walter's Falls, near Owen Sound. He continued there until last September when he was attached to the Canadian Army.

Child Mortality Higher in Paris

LONDON — Undernourishment in France has reached an alarming stage, says a report of the Inter-Allied Information Committee.

The report shows that the official rations yield far less than the daily minimum of 2,400 calories necessary to persons not engaged in manual work and twice the quantity for persons performing heavy work.

By comparison the report says that the rations in France averaged as follows: November, 1940, 1,307 calories; January, 1941, 1,276; March, 1,181; May, 1,156; June, 1,134.

"In these circumstances," it declared, "it is not surprising that, according to a well-known French hygienist, Dr. Bezancon, mortality among children up to nine years old has increased in Paris by 29 per cent.

"A member of the Vichy Government has also recently stated that in all the schools a striking loss of weight has been observed among youths sixteen to twenty years old, and consequently the whole race is in danger."

No Floods Yet, Ark Must Go

OLYMPIA, Wash., (UP) — Olympia's famous "Mudflats Ark," built by William L. Greenwood, a religious eccentric who plays six musical instruments, is doomed as a victim of progress.

Greenwood built the Ark out of a forty-foot motorboat about ten years ago as a refugee from the "second flood" which he predicted would hit the world in 1935. The flood failed to arrive on schedule and Greenwood painted the archaic vessel with religious quotations.

Now Olympia is cleaning out the shacks on its waterfront and Greenwood's Ark is about to go. He has offered it for sale for $300, but will take a good used school bus in trade.

Greenwood has received world-wide publicity on his quaint philosophy and picturesque ark. When The London Times called him up long distance several years ago, it marked the high spot in his life.

Today Greenwood lives on a $30 old age pension from the State of Washington and entertains visitors to his Ark by playing on his battered, wheezy organ or playing after a fashion, on his dented cornet.

He recently mounted some fake cannon on the Ark to call attention of the populace to the battle of Amageddon, which he says is to be fought any day now.

Greenwood mixes his religious fervor with an active interest in the world war and predicts that the United States will defeat Germany because "the Lord is on our side."

Suburb and Country

AGRICULTURE IS A FIRST PRINCIPLE; ON IT RESTS THE LIFE AND HAPPINESS OF MANKIND—Julian A. Dimock

Soil Important in Culture of Plants

FEW amateur gardeners realize the importance of soil as a factor in the culture of plants. The soil is the foundation of success or failure with flowers, vegetables, fruits or trees. Men and women who loved to grow plants realized this centuries before science began delving into the hows, why and wherefores of soil composition and its effect upon plant growth, writes Haydn S. Pearson, in The New York Times.

Soil may be defined as the covering on the surface of the earth. The main types of soil include clay, sand, black loam, brown loam and sand loam. There are also many areas where clayey loam is the predominant type. The United States Department of Agriculture, in classifying soils, divides the nation into nine areas, depending on the color of the soil in a given area.

The gardener is primarily interested in a few main soil facts. First, the amount of humus in the soil is a vital point. The writer has seen instances where clayey and sandy soils have been changed to areas of excellent flower and vegetable gardens by addition of humus-growing material. Humus is decayed or decomposing organic material. This, mixed with the pulverized rock, particles of sand, limestone and calcium silicates is the basis of our producing, plant-growing medium.

Altering Soils

Soil that is either clayey or sandy can be inexpensively and easily changed by adding compost, animal manures (natural or the commercial dried types) and peatmoss. With the development of peat bog resources in the nation, this last product will be readily available at reasonable prices. Another good way to increase humus is to plant domestic rye grass between rows of vegetables and flowers about September 1. Domestic rye grass makes much larger root clumps than regular rye. This can be spaded or plowed under in the Fall or Spring and adds humus-forming material.

This humus is essential not only for the food materials present but because it holds moisture and helps aerate the soil. Sometimes we forget as we feed our plants that no food is of any use until it has been changed to liquid form so it may be taken up by the feeding rootlets. Aeration is essential because oxygen serves as a chemical agent to help transform chemicals into liquids.

We hear a great deal about the three main elements necessary for plant growth: nitrogen, phosphorus and potash. These are represented in that order by the numbers which appear on bags of fertilizer—such as a "5-10-5 mixture." Scientists have discovered many elements in the soil and have proven that fourteen are essential for growth, flowering and producing of seed. These are zinc, copper, boron, iron, manganese, sulphur magnesium, calcium, nitrogen, phosphorus, potassium, hydrogen and carbon.

In the average loam soil in gardens there is normally present a sufficient amount of the minor elements to care for the needs of flowers, fruits and vegetables. In using a general fertilizer, 4-8-8, 5-8-7, or 5-8-8, the gardener provides a sufficiency of chemicals which will be transformed into food by action of water and air. In general, nitrogen encourages stem and leaf growth; thus it is used for spinach, lettuce and cabbage and for leafy shrubs. Phosphorus pushes flowering and the reproductive process. Potassium or potash gives vigor and health, and strong stems. Too much nitrogen in the soil delays maturity because of excessive stem and leaf growth.

Many gardeners use too much fertilizer. Ten pounds per 100 square feet—as sometimes recommended—is a heavy dose; experiments the writer has run lead to the conclusion that five pounds per 100 square feet will produce lovelier and more lasting flowers. Three to four pounds are often sufficient. A soil supercharged with chemicals is like a dish of food with too much seasoning.

The gardener will find it pays well to study his soils. It is a fascinating and in many ways mysterious subject. Some day we may do our gardening and farming by the "soilless" method; until that day arrives, the better we know our soils the better results we shall have with our gardening.

SPRINGTIME IN STADACONA PARK

Green Lawns, Winding Paths and Broad Borders of Brightly Colored Flowers Against a Background of Shrubs and Trees Make Stadacona Park a Delightful Spot at This Time of Year. The Park Attracts a Large Number of Visitors Every Day and to Many the Beauty Spot Is a Favorite Place for Daily Visits.

Brilliant Calliopses Gives Steady Bloom

MANY experts consider that among yellow, orange and copper hued annual flowering plants calliopsis is easily the most satisfactory. Seed sown in Autumn or on the snow in March or later in Spring will provide a constant display of gorgeous bloom from early Summer until the plant is cut down by hard frosts. Even in city gardens it flourishes lustily and provides a source of cut flowers of excellent keeping quality.

And, too, calliopsis has the added advantage of requiring but little space for growing since the plant branches toward the top from a single stem. Where a gay, cheerful note of color is needed or where a small space has been left bare by out-of-bloom perennials or annuals, calliopsis solves the problem.

All calliopsis are striking in color and can be bought in seed mixtures which are satisfactory, since the colors, shades and tints of all sorts blend together harmoniously despite their distinctive tones. A mass planting produces a sparkling, variegated effect rather than a discordant group of vari-colored flowers.

Tall and Golden

The tall sorts grow from one to three feet high on slender branching plants, with lacy but rather inconspicuous foliage. They bear a wealth of lacinated-petaled flowers about two inches in diameter. The colors range from clear yellow through orange to brown and velvety maroon, both in self-colors and with interesting markings and central zones. The dark types possess a beauty of texture which closely approximates that of velvet. When planted in full sunlight—which is essential for perfect flowering—the blooms positively glow with richness and vitality.

Of the tall named sorts, Coronaria is the earliest bloomer. Its flowers are large and golden yellow with interesting maroon splotches at the base of each petal. Golden Crown is by far the most showy of the orange-flowering calliopsis. This variety is of English origin. It produces a large semi-double deliciously fragrant bloom of clear golden yellow, borne on stiff, wiry stems. They are excellent for cutting.

Dark-Toned Flowers

Among the dark-toned flowers, Tinctoria splendens is especially lovely. It is a brilliant mahogany brown with yellow tops. It is vividly beautiful in mass, as the flowers are borne in great profusion on long stems. Nigra speciosa is another striking dark-colored calliopsis. Its red-dish-maroon bloom is dazzling in full sunlight. Atrosanguinea is also a richly vivid flower, velvety wine-red.

The dwarf types of calliopsis come in gay yellows, oranges, maroon and crimson. While they lack the long stems for cutting, they produce a gay-flowered carpet of bloom and when planted in front of the tall-growing sorts create a solid, ascending display of stimulating, colorful flowers.

Calliopsis will remain fresh in water over a long period. It is especially attractive in mixed bouquets, where it adds that desirable rich, dark tone to what might be a too pastel-hued grouping of flowers. Culturally, calliopsis demands little beyond rich soil and a position in full sun. Keeping flowers cut to prevent seed being formed prolongs the blooming period until frost cuts them down.

Saving Twin Lambs On the Range

Every lamb saved at lambing time increases the potential profit from the flock. Most sheep ranchers will agree with this principle, but nevertheless do not favor twin lambs and will usually destroy one member of the pair at birth unless they happen to have a fresh ewe that has lost her lamb and can be induced to adopt one of the twins. The reasoning behind this procedure is that too many "bums" develop among twin lambs that are saved. This tendency is present, but it can be overcome to a large extent by a little extra care at lambing time and the period immediately after lambing.

Some data from the Lethbridge Experimental Station flock provide information relative to this matter, states Dr. K. Rasmussen. Out of a total of 3,002 lambs born in the station flock during the past few years, 1,742 were twins and 1,260 singles. The average birth weight of the single lambs was 10.4 pounds as against 8.7 pounds for the twins. Thus the single lambs are somewhat larger and stronger and should make better growth during the Summer. This primary advantage is improved by the fact that the singles get all the milk from their mothers, while the twins must share their supply.

Of course the weight at weaning time is what the producer is actually interested in. On this point the data for 1941 only was used as the other data had not been analyzed. The average weaning weights were 75.8 pounds for the single lambs and 67.1 pounds for the twins. Thus, the single lambs had increased their advantage from 1.7 pounds at birth to 8.7 pounds at weaning. But each ewe with twins had an average production of 134.2 pounds of lamb, whereas the ewe with a single lamb produced only 75.8 pounds, a difference of 58.4 pounds in favor of the twins. At a selling price of nine cents per pound this would mean an income of $5.26 more from the ewe with twins.

Some lambs born as twins were raised as singles. They were 5.7 pounds heavier at weaning time than those raised as twins, but they were 3.0 pounds lighter than lambs born as singles. On the basis of these figures, every time a twin lamb is deliberately killed the sheep owner is throwing away 61.4 potential pounds of lamb or at nine cents a pound a possible income of $5.53. 'Tis said that money talks, so there should be no need of saying more.

Valuable Fertilizer

Lawn clippings will soon be abundant again. They are a valuable product if wisely conserved, and here is a recipe for a fertilizer product second to none:

To each one and one-half tons of lawn clippings, leaves, etc., add forty pounds of lime, forty-five pounds of sulphate of ammonia and fifteen pounds of super-phosphate. Add the fertilizers to the compost heap as it is built up, a layer of fertilizer to every five or six inches of compost. Keep the pile uniform and solidly packed.

One and one-half tons is equal to about five by five by four feet.

Gladiolus Thrips Still a Menace

Growers of that beautiful flower the gladiolus are again urged to let no obstacle interfere with the proper treatment of their corms, as a safeguard against a possible outbreak of the gladiolus thrips next Summer, warns Alan G. Dustan, associate entomologist. Past experience has shown that this is the most important step of the year in gladiolus culture and failure to follow the practice has frequently led to ruin. There are now many excellent known methods for treating corms, devised for the grower of small, medium or large crops. All of these will give virtually perfect control. For the man with only about a hundred corms to treat, corrosive sublimate will probably prove the most satisfactory. The grower of a medium crop depends largely on naphthalene flakes which he has found cheap, dependable and easy of application. Where the number of corms annually planted runs into the thousands, fumigation with cyanide or methyl bromide will be found the most suitable. Most growers, through usage, are conversant with one or other of these methods.

The point to bear in mind now is that relatively little time remains for the carrying out of any of these treatments. Delay at this late date, with planting time rapidly approaching, is dangerous. Every grower should give this matter serious consideration and if he has neglected, so far, to treat his corms, prompt action should be taken. Planting untreated corms means trouble later on, not only to the grower responsible for the oversight, but to all of his neighbors, since his garden will serve as a centre of thrips infestation in the community. The Division of Entomology, Science Service, Dominion Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, is anxious to assist all gardeners not familiar with control recommendations. Literature and other advice will be promptly forwarded, free, upon request.

Give Plants Room

All perennial flowers, shrubs and trees are small when originally planted, but in a few years it is surprising how much room they take up. The average person plants them far too close together and in the case of trees and shrubs, far too close to the house or fences.

As a general rule, shrubs, trees and flowers should have half as much room between as their mature height. This means at least two feet apart for peonies, three and one-half feet for the ordinary spiraea, and from twenty-five to fifty feet for the general run of trees.

At first this may seem far too open, but the space between may be taken up with annual flowers in the case of a perennial bed, and with temporary, quick-growing shrubbery and trees, with the others.

Feed affects the quality of eggs. While flavor cannot be detected by candling, the lack of flavor will reduce the consumption of eggs more rapidly than any other factor.

Turkey Eggs and Hatching Season

Now that the turkey breeding season is here the feeding and management of the turkey females is important. They should be fed regularly and on good palatable nourishing feeds. At the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, breeding turkeys are fed on dry mashes and mixed grains. The laying mash used is known as hatchery ration and carries about 15 per cent protein. Milk powder is used in preference to meat meal and fish meal both of which are used in laying rations. Mixed grains and hatchery ration are kept before the breeding females at all times as well as oyster shell and grit. Fresh drinking water is supplied daily. All feeds are given in hoppers or troughs so as to eliminate, as far as possible, the danger of contamination, particularly blackhead.

Turkeys usually commence laying as soon as the cold weather is replaced by Spring sunshine.

Keep in Cool Place

The turkey eggs should be collected two or three times daily and kept in a temperature of from 45 degrees to 55 degrees F. and never allowed to go above 62 degrees F. They should be kept in a room where the air is not dry and the best place on the average farm for keeping hatching eggs is a cellar which is well ventilated. Hatching eggs should be turned daily during the collection period.

Never hold hatching eggs longer than necessary because the fresher the eggs the better will be the hatch, other things being equal. Eggs may be hatched by the mother turkey, by barnyard hens or in incubators. The amount of eggs required for one setting will be determined to some extent by the method of incubation. The use of an incubator in the hatching of turkey poults has a number of advantages over the natural way. One of the most important of these advantages is the control of blackhead, as contact with mature birds is broken and poults start life free from this dreaded turkey disease because blackhead is not transmitted through the egg to the poult. If turkey poults are hatched in incubators, reared in brooders—and kept on clean ground, fed and watered in a sanitary method there should be little or no death rate during the growing season.

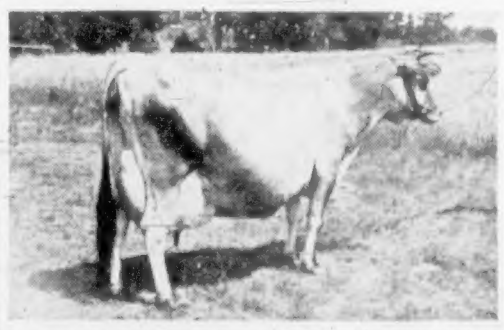
Cutting Season of Asparagus Crop

Asparagus must not be cut over too long a period. Since the present year's arparagus crop was developed from food stored the present year's asparagus crop enough time must elapse from the end of the cutting season for the plants to store food for shoot development the next year. Recommendations have been made that cutting should end between June 1 and July 1. At the Dominion Experimental Farm, Agassiz, B.C., it has been shown that the actual number of weeks of cutting is important. T. H. Anstey of that farm states that experiments show that after cutting an equal number of similar plots for periods of eight and twelve weeks respectively a greater yield was obtained from the eight weeks plot than from the twelve weeks plot.

For the first two years of the experiment both plots were cut for eight weeks and yielded the same amount of asparagus. The third year, however, one of the plots was cut for twelve weeks while the other series was cut for only eight weeks. This year series A (the twelve week plots) yielded 167 pounds while B (the eight week plots) yielded 106 pounds. In two years, however, there were 238 pounds cut from series B and only 218 pounds cut from series A. The difference has gradually become greater until last year, after five years, series B gave 301 pounds while series A (the twelve week plots) gave only 263 pounds.

It is readily seen that a heavy cutting gives a higher yield for the first two years but this increased stimulation soon results in a dwarfing of the plant with a subsequent decrease in yield. In order to get the highest yield from an asparagus bed it is not only essential to apply ample manure but the plants must not be cut too heavily. From this experiment it would seem that eight weeks of cutting over a long period of years will give the best results.

There are flowers to fit any situation. For those people who have neither the time nor inclination there are such things as alyssum, dwarf marigolds, portulaca and California poppies that thrive almost on neglect. Once started they will look after themselves.



THE twenty-third Jersey cow in Canada to exceed 4,000 pounds of butterfat production in a life-time record is Fairy Raleigh Zana 71114, owned by Featherstone Bros., Oakville, Ont., and bred by T. A. Cochran, Lewisburg, Tenhessee.

Zana has just completed her seventh record and as usual won a medal certificate. She has made more medal records than any other cow of her age in Canada. Her last record was 16,747 pounds of milk, 900 pounds of fat, with an average test of 5.37 per cent in 365 days, a medal of merit record. This is the second medal of merit, the highest honor that a Jersey cow can win, that has been made by Zana. She has also made two gold medal records and three silver medal records. She is an outstanding performer and is again on test and doing exceptionally well.

Control Measures For Apple Sawfly

By M. DOWNES

THE Apple Sawfly is an insect of recent introduction in British Columbia. It is a native of Europe where it is an important pest of apples, especially in Germany, France, Denmark, Holland and parts of England. It was first reported in Victoria in 1940 but as it was found to be quite widely distributed in the city it probably had been present for several years prior to that time. The loss of fruit caused by the attack of this insect may be serious, sometimes being as great as 80 per cent. Infested fruit falls to the ground in early June, but this should not be confused with the ordinary "June drop." The small apples should be examined for holes in the side of the fruit caused by the larva of the sawfly.

The adult insect is a small four-winged fly about half an inch in length, black on the upper surface and orange yellow below. The head, with the exception of the black patch between the eyes, is yellow, as is also the tip of the abdomen. It appears on the wing when the apple trees come in bloom and remains in flight for about three weeks. It deposits its eggs in the calyx of the apple, piercing the side of one of the sepals. The egg is pushed right through and usually will be found near the base of the filaments. The point of entrance may be indicated by a small reddish spot which is often partly obscured by pubescence. The egg hatches in about thirteen days and the young larva commences to feed on the developing fruitlet. Some of the larvae remain within the calyx after hatching while others leave the egg pocket and feed on the exterior of the young fruit or an adjoining one, forming a characteristic lineal scar. After boring into and feeding on the interior of a young fruit for some time the larva may leave it and enter another and in this way a succession of young fruits may be destroyed. The larva becomes full grown in about twenty days.

The work of the apple sawfly is easily recognizable and is quite distinct from that of the codling moth. The apples are bored into when quite small. There are always one or more holes in the side of the fruit from which exudes a black or brown pulp. On cutting open one of these apples the interior will be found to have been extensively excavated by the larva which may be found lying within, surrounded by brown messy frass. Injured apples drop to the ground when they are about an inch in diameter or smaller. Usually only one larva is present but occasionally two may be found. On reaching maturity they leave the fruit and drop to the ground and enter the soil to the depth of three to eight inches where they form small oval cocoons. For the rest of the season the larvae remain in the cocoons and emerge as flies the following Spring. Only one generation is usual but occasionally a second has been observed in England.

Control Measures

Fortunately, one spray applied at the proper time will control this insect. The time during which this can be done is very short, spraying should commence when 80 per cent of the blossoms have fallen and must be completed within a week of petal fall. The object is to destroy the egg before it hatches. This can be done by spraying with a suitable ovicide, taking care that a strong, driving spray is used directed especially at the calyces.

Very little experimental work has been done at Victoria on the control of this insect up to the present time but good results have been obtained by the use of the following formula: Light Summer oil emulsion two gallons, nicotine sulphate one and one-quarter pints, water 100 gallons.

The method of making an oil emulsion is simple and the following formula is suitable for Summer use: Mineral seal oil, 1 pint; water, 8 ounces; household ammonia, 2 teaspoons; powdered skim milk, 1 ounce (12 teaspoons).

Dissolve the skim milk in the water and then add the ammonia. Place this in a suitable vessel and add the oil slowly, especially at first, agitating the mixture briskly all the while until a white, creamy emulsion is formed. A small churn is suitable for the purpose or small quantities can be made with an egg beater. Any deep, straight-sided vessel fitted with a wooden plunger with holes bored in it will serve as an improvised churn.

For a small quantity of spray use one part of the emulsion to fifty parts of water (or one-half pint to three gallons) and to each gallon of liquid add one and one-half teaspoons of nicotine sulphate.

This emulsion does not keep very long and only sufficient should be made for immediate use. Further information on the mixing and use of oil emulsions can be obtained from the Dominion Entomological Laboratory, Victoria.

Arsenate of lead can be added to the spray to control other apple insects such as caterpillars, but arsenate of lead alone will not control the sawfly. Lime-sulphur cannot be added to this spray.

Saanich Jersey Club Qualifiers

Following is the list of cows owned by the members of the Saanich Jersey Cattle Club that have qualified, under official supervision, for the fifty-pound list for March, 1942. Numbers in parenthesis indicate days fresh, followed by pounds of milk and butterfat, respectively.

Yearling

Dogwood Spinster (71), 933; 50. Brian Hoole.

Deertrail Standard's Marie (61), 973; 48. Harold Brooks.

Brookside Rondin Selina (117), 824; 45. Harold Brooks.

Olympic Blonde's Belle (139), 760; 39. E. W. Burkinshaw.

Rosemont La France Dawn (221), 806; 38. E. W. Burkinshaw.

Brookside Oxford Miracle Girl (54), 802; 38. Harold Brooks.

Eastwood Standard's Trinket (133), 692; 36. C. R. Easton.

Two-Year-Olds

Dogwood's First Blossom (46), 1,255; 65. Brian Hoole.

Rosemont Standard's Greta (141), 935; 53. E. W. Burkinshaw.

Liberator's Lady June (124), 859; 50. Harold Brooks.

Brookside Oxford Janet (73), 868; 46. Harold Brooks.

Rosemont La France Sheilah (242), 759; 43. E. W. Burkinshaw.

Rosemont Standard's Primrose (183), 781; 41. E. W. Burkinshaw.

Babbacombe Design's Delilah (182), 608; 41. H. E. Burbidge.

Eastwood Standard's Temiata (192), 787; 40. C. R. Easton.

Babbacombe Standard's Sable (130), 787; 40. H. E. Burbidge.

Three-Year-Olds

Babbacombe Standard's Sequin 2nd (35), 766; 49. H. E. Burbidge.

Babbacombe Rondin Rebecca (136), 806; 47. H. E. Burbidge.

Eastwood Standard's Shasta (109), 792; 46. C. R. Easton.

Rosemont Standard's Marie (143), 1,152; 56. E. W. Burkinshaw.

Four-Year-Olds

Brooksdale Sybilene (35), 1,033; 57. Harold Brooks.

Rosemont Standard's Blossom (173), 1,012; 56. E. W. Burkinshaw.

Eastwood Standard's Reta (138), 996; 56. C. R. Easton.

Rosemont Standard's Beauty (252), 693; 51. E. W. Burkinshaw.

Babbacombe Barjulele (258), 836; 50. H. E. Burbidge.

Eastwood Standard's Ramona (191), 786; 50. C. R. Easton.

Mature

Glenora Dream's Glow (166), 1,139; 72. E. W. Burkinshaw.

Brookside Joan (40), 1,246; 69. Harold Brooks.

Rosemont Standard's Jessie (57), 1,153; 63. C. R. Easton.

Rosemont Standard's Lady (29), 1,214; 61. C. R. Easton.

Brookside Blossie's Barbara (30), 1,084; 60. Harold Brooks.

Meresde Tyee Princess (220), 971; 60. E. W. Burkinshaw.

Glenora Bindle's Gold (156), 940; 58. E. W. Burkinshaw.

Brackenhurst Favorite Lucy (58), 1,093; 57. C. R. Easton.

Glenora Fairy Sibh (150), 953; 57. C. R. Easton.

Brookside Jane (39), 1,182; 56. Harold Brooks.

Brackenhurst Favorite Bella (130), 1,095; 54. E. W. Burkinshaw.

Beau's Queenie (209), 1,077; 54. Harold Brooks.

Rosemont Standard's Melba (193), 928; 54. E. W. Burkinshaw.

Babbacombe Standard's Volage (64), 989; 53. H. E. Burbidge.

In order to conserve tinplate and freight space, a trial shipment of compressed dried whole-cream milk powder has been sent from Australia to Great Britain. Instead of being packed in cans, the powder was moulded into firm blocks, thus reducing the volume by more than one-half. Thirty-three pounds of the powder can be compressed into a nine-inch cube, which, when beaten up in water, is reconverted into twenty-six gallons of milk.

A Page For CHILDREN

Mystery of Forbidden Plateau

By HUGH WALLACE

A DOZEN miles west of the town of Courtenay, on Vancouver Island, lies a district famous for its rugged beauty and weird rock formations. It is known as the Forbidden Plateau. Its scenery varies from lush valleys, whose floors are carpeted knee deep with vividly colored wild flowers to craggy, snow-covered mountain peaks, as forbidding as the valleys are inviting. The streams in the Plateau originate, as might be expected, at the glaciers on the peaks, and cascade down the rocky walls to meander less turbulently through the orderly meadows below.

The lower reaches of Forbidden Plateau are friendly and well frequented, but the upper slopes hold themselves aloof, and help give credence to the story of how the plateau got its sinister name.

Long before the advent of the white man, the Comox Indians lived around where the town of Courtenay now stands. They fished, hunted and generally led a quiet, uneventful life. They were a peaceful tribe, and as most of their living was easily obtained, they were weaker than most Indians. It is said they prefered fishing to hunting because it required less physical exertion. To add to the comforts of their existence, they lived on the eastern, or inside, slope of Vancouver Island and so were protected from the rigors of the serious storms that frequently pounded the other side of the island. Everything they got came with a minimum of effort and, as a result, they grew softer and softer, year after year.

Hardy War-Like Men

The Alberni Indians lived in almost the opposite manner to the Comox, even though their homes were hardly fifty miles apart. They were hardy, warlike men, who would rather wrench something from a neighbor by force than earn it legitimately, even though the latter course might be the easier. They built strong canoes and sailed them in the stormiest seas, just for the thrill and adventure.

One day an Alberni scout—they were given to making long trips alone—returned to tell of the soft and peaceful tribe who lived on the other side of the island. He told of their wealth, and of the ease with which they could be plundered. A few days later the Albernis swept down upon the unsuspecting Comox Indians. They looted the reserve supplies, killed all the men they could catch, stole the younger women and set a torch to what they did not want or could not carry.

The Comoxes who escaped returned to find their village in ruins, their women gone, their best warriors slain. For a few days they mourned their losses and then hunger and cold forced them to start back to their fishing and building.

Months passed and the tribe, all that was left of it, managed to reconstruct the village, and fill the larders once more against the impending Winter. But they were not to be allowed to remain unmolested. The Albernis struck again, and once more swept the village clean.

Hunger a Problem

This time the work of building up was harder. There were fewer men to help, and the Winter had already set in to add to their difficulties. Hunger, too, became a gnawing problem, and some of the men had to keep hunting, day after day, while the women spent every spare moment fishing, or tanning the hides the men brought in.

All this hardship had two effects on the Comoxes. It hardened their flabby muscles, gone soft through long idleness, and it sharpened their wits and made them more able to defend themselves. Their leaders, too, were effected and they set themselves to find some way of defeating the marauders, whom they were sure would strike again.

Many plans were advanced for defending the village, but all of them were faulty in some detail or other. They were too few in number to make a stand-up fight of it; besides, they had to think of the women, who would be the chief sufferers in case of a defeat. No, they must use strategy, not strength.

Outstanding among the remaining warriors was a young man named Little Bear, and he it was who eventually evolved the accepted plan for the forthcoming campaign. They would build pitfalls and rock traps along the trail and fall upon their enemies during the confusion that was sure to follow the springing of the traps. The women and children, meanwhile, would be safe in the fastness of the Plateau — The name, Forbidden, was not added until later.

Build Rock Traps

Little Bear seemed to be untiring during the feverish days of preparation. He supervised the building of rock traps, that would fall on the foe as soon as certain props were removed. He made sure that each man knew exactly the part he was to play. He inspected and instructed the lookout a dozen times, and during the last nights before the expected raid, he helped the women, children and old men to places of safety in the Plateau. He would stand by the side of the trail encouraging one, shaming another, and helping another up with her load. He was a tower of strength, and from him the whole tribe drew courage and confidence. Men, much older than he, spoke of him in whispers as a great warrior, and a man who would do great deeds, and lead the tribe to many victories.

Hardly had the last of the non-fighting members of the tribe disappeared up the trail when the lookout fire sent up its warning column of smoke. A few minutes later, the lookout himself panted up to confirm his message. The Albernis were coming!

The warriors looked at one another and for a split second panic was very near. It is hard to face an enemy who has repeatedly defeated you and not feel panic. Little Bear, natural leader that he was, sensed the cold feeling that touched his men, and quickly he stepped forward to dispell it. "Come," he ordered, "get to your stations. Remember our plan." His voice was full of confidence and it inspired confidence in the others. They went to their posts determined to wipe out, once and for all, this menace to their freedom and happiness.

Sure of Victory

The Albernis, cocky and sure of themselves, made the mistake of underestimating their enemies and marched boldly into the pass. So confident were they of victory that they did bother to throw out an advance guard.

The Comoxes waited tensely, every eye on Little Bear. The Albernis continued their noisey advance.

When the middle of the enemy column passed beneath the rock trap, Little Bear dropped his hand. The waiting warriors leapt forward. A few swift blows with their axes and the whole mass of stone rolled, with a noise like thunder, onto the heads of the astonished Albernis below. As soon as the dust settled enough to see the Comoxes swept down on their bewildered foes. The few who had escaped the rock slide met a hasty end at the hands of the excited, elated Comoxes.

Hail, Little Bear

When the fighting ended, the victorious warriors returned to congratulate their leader, Little Bear. All the rest of the night they danced and sang his praises. They made him chieftain of the tribe, and predicted great things for his future. The older men set at the fringe of the dancing circle and told of victories that would be won, of slaves to be taken and of glorious days to come.

In the morning, Little Bear despatched one of the scouts to bring back the women, children and old men.

And here I wish I could end this story, but it is history and there is more to tell . . . .

Several hours later the scout returned. His face was streaked with dirt and sweat. He staggered to where Little Bear stood and sank exhausted at his chieftain's feet.

"The women and children," he gasped, "they're gone. I searched everywhere. There's not a trace."

Little Bear snatched the scout to his feet. "Gone?" he shouted. "Are you mad? Where could they go?"

He allowed the nearly unconscious man to slip back to the ground, he needed no confirmation other than that written on the scout's face . . . What he said was only too true.

"Gather around me, warriors, our women are gone. While we fought here some other foe has captured them. Come, we will bring them back, and punish their abductors."

But they did not bring them back. They searched the Plateau from the highest peak to the deepest valley, and not so much as a trace could they find to indicate what had happened. Little Bear continued the search alone long after the other men were too tired to go on. Finally, though, even he was forced to admit the task was hopeless. You could not fight what you could not see.

After they had rested, Little Bear again called the grief stricken men together. "My people," he began, "our search is hopeless. Our women and children are gone, taken by the evil spirits which dwell in this Plateau. But we will lose no more people in this thrice cursed place. From this day hence it is forbidden to all Indians, and it shall be known as the Forbidden Plateau."

The Comox Indians, hardy and warlike as a result of their hardships and privation, stole some women from a weaker tribe and so re-established their village, but the Forbidden Plateau remained forbidden, and so it is to the Indians even to this day.

Little Bear Builds a Rock Trap to Defeat the Invaders

How the Saying Hobson's Choice Had Its Origin

Long ago there lived a poor boy called Toby Hobson who longed to have forty fine horses and a stable to put them in. He could see no reason why his dream should not come true, so at the age of ten he went to work in a stable to learn all about horses.

Time went on and Toby worked very hard. When he had saved enough money to buy a horse and cart he became a carrier. He journeyed from town to town carrying all kinds of goods, but still the stable and forty fine horses seemed a long way off. However, Toby took a little inn at Cambridge and engaged a boy to do most of the carrier's work for him. When he became an innkeeper and a carrier, people began to talk about him because he was rather an odd man. You see, he had a very strong sense of justice, and declared that if a man were just and generous, and worked hard, nothing could prevent his dreams from coming true.

So it came about that when Toby had enough money to build a stable and buy two fine horses, he also began to build a conduit to bring fresh water to Cambridge. He said it was only just to give back to the town some of the money he had earned in it, and, as you can imagine, the people of Cambridge thought this an excellent idea. When Toby bought more horses he also bought some good pasture land which he settled on the town to help in the upkeep of the conduit. At last his dream came true.

Yes, Toby Hobson, the rich innkeeper, owned a fine stable and forty magnificent horses that were the pride of his kind heart. In those days, as horses were the only means of transport — besides legs, which were called Shank's mare — Toby's horses were much in request.

Then Toby made a rule that when a customer came to hire a horse he was led to the stable, where there was, of course, a good choice of splendid horses. Nevertheless, he was obliged to take the one nearest the door, or none at all. In this way every customer was well served according to chance, and each horse ridden in its just turn.

This peculiar idea of Toby's became known as Hobson's choice, meaning it was no choice at all because you had to take what was there for you to take. So the saying has come down to us today.

"Did you know, Miss Mouse, that I would die for you?"

"That may be true, but a dead mouse wouldn't be any good to anyone but a cat."

Sheepskin Gloves Put in Lifeboats

The skins of South African sheep are today helping to save the lives of shipwrecked British sailors.

Sheepskin gloves, large and warm, are now included in a lifeboat's equipment. Two and a half pairs of them are got from each sheepskin and big quantities are being turned out by the makers.

They are also producing a great number of other types of gloves, mostly for the Royal Air Force, not to mention leather flying helmets at the rate of a thousand a week.

The army is getting from them gloves of ample size for protecting men at bayonet practice, and they are also distributing quantities of boxing gloves to the forces.

Oil From Torpedoed Ships Kills Birds

OTTAWA—Oil from tankers and other craft sunk in naval warfare in the Atlantic is taking its toll of North American bird life, according to the east coast migratory bird officer of the Department of Mines and Resources.

Observers along the coast report that increasing numbers of waterfowl and sea birds are being washed ashore dead or in dying condition. The oil from sunken vessels or submarines comes to the surface and floats for days in calm patches or slicks, often extending over wide areas. The birds alight on the oil-calmed water and once their plummages become saturated with oil they are unable to fly and have to drift helplessly until cold or starvation brings death.

Bothersome Feather The Fairies Gave

Once upon a time it was the fashion to invite fairies to christenings in the hope that they would bestow wonderful gifts on the baby boys or girls to whom they stood as godmothers. So it came about that a certain king invited the Lady Moonlight to his little daughter's feast, and made a great fuss about her.

The fairy arrived in a silver chariot drawn by silver geese, and the king, queen, and all their guests flocked round her and flattered her. She said she would like the princess to be called Moonblossom. Plucking a silver feather from one of the geese, she gave it to the baby as a present.

"If ever she is in trouble tell her to throw the feather to the wind and wish for what she wants most," said the fairy as she drove away.

The king and queen were bitterly disappointed. They had hoped the fairy would give the little princess wealth, or great beauty, or magic jewels. Just the feather and one wish seemed poor things!

When Moonblossom was a baby she played with the feather, but as she grew older her father and mother were so afraid that she would throw it away while wishing for something silly that they locked it up. On her fourteenth birthday, however, they were obliged to tell her the truth. She was amazed! She wore the feather in her hair, and she worried a great deal because she didn't know what to ask for.

One day when she had toothache she nearly threw it to the wind; and once when she lost her way in a wood, she thought she would be obliged to. But each time she came to the conclusion that it was not worth while, because something worse might happen to her. So the years went on and she became a lovely maiden, and still she kept her silver feather because she didn't know what to wish for.

Refused the Princes

Princes asked for her hand in marriage, but she imagined they wanted the feather so that they might ask for riches or power, or success, so she refused them.

"What shall I do with the feather," she wondered. "It's more bother than it's worth."

Then it began to rain, and it rained, and rained, and rained, till Moonblossom thought it would never stop. In despair, she threw her feather to the wind and wished for a fine day.

"Now I've done a silly thing," she thought, as she walked into the sunshine.

But the world looked so lovely after the rain that she soon felt happy. Meeting one of the princes who wished to marry her, she told him what she had done.

"I'm glad you're rid of it," he laughed. "I never liked that feather, and I'm quite ready to marry you now that you've lost it. What do you say?"

Moonblossom said yes, and married the prince.

She set the fashion of never inviting fairies to feasts because they gave such uncomfortable presents. Did she invent the word moonshine meaning something of no use? You often hear the word today.

"Have you and your husband never had any spats?"

"My husband has a pair, but I wouldn't wear the ugly things."

"What a singular chin Mrs. De Fatte has."

"Singular? I should call it plural."

—R.C.A.F. Official Photograph.

LEARNING TO MAN "WIMPY"

These lads, fresh from training schools in Canada, are learning to man "Wimpy," their name for the big Wellington bombers, at an Operational Training Unit overseas. Left to right: Sergt. Aaron Ghesquire, New Waterford, N.S.; Sergt. Arthur Nickol, Curbunira, Newfoundland; Sergt. Vernon Morris, Durham Bridge, N.B., and Sergt. George Crossman, Sackville, N.B.

Nature's Scrapbook

By Ran Tersen

Methylmethacrylate

Although chemists call it "poly-methylmethacrylate," most of us are familiar with it as "plexiglass," now widely used by plane manufacturers in windshields and cabin windows of aircraft. Cleaning plexiglass presents a peculiar problem because whenever this plastic material is rubbed with a dry cloth, an electric charge is developed. This static charge attracts dust particles from the air to the surface of the glass, making it dirtier than ever! However, rubbing the plexiglass with a damp chamois cloth will neutralize the charge and allow the removal of the collected dust. In order to get rid of grease or oil smudges, ordinary soap or naphtha can be used but cleaning fluids such as benzine or acetone will mar the surface.

Dry Ice and the War

"Dry Ice" that is 190 degrees below zero in temperature is helping us to win the war! The latest use of this cold material—really a solidified form of carbon dioxide gas, the gas that is used in soda-pop—is to shrink rivets used in aircraft construction. Rivets are put into a cooling chamber and dry ice is heaped over them for a few minutes. Considerably reduced in size by their chilly contact with the solidified gas, the rivets are quickly inserted into their positions on the aircraft under construction. When the planes are flying in the chill altitudes now needed for their flights, there is no weakening of structural parts due to shrinkage of rivets.

Other Uses of Dry Ice

In addition to its use in the construction of aircraft, dry ice is aiding the war effort in other ways. For instance, it is ever present on the air-fields where it is used to smother flame should a plane catch fire while idling before the take-off—water only scatters a gasoline fire and does not successfully smother it like carbon dioxide gas. Dry ice is used to smother fire in the holds of cargo ships and is widely used in refrigeration where its slow evaporation into a gas solves the problem of drainage.

Five Bombs per Acre!

The shortage of sugar bothers some of us but there is a new story about sugar these days, one that may well explain the need for rationing this essential commodity. Sweets that used to fill our candy counters are not being made in nearly their former quantity and the excess sugar is turned into industrial alcohol—the alcohol in turn is used in the explosive pack of aerial bombs, submarine torpedoes and artillery shells. Powder needed to fill five 16-inch shells takes alcohol from as much sugar as can be grown in an acre of Cuban sugar cane. Only five bombs per acre but when such shells are needed for our own defences, we should not grumble if the sugar rationing deprives our sweet tooth of a little flavoring!

Cane Beats Beet

The two principal sources of sugar in the world today are sugar cane and sugar beets. Sugar made from either of these plants is similar to the taste because its chemical composition is exactly the same. However, twice as much sugar is being made from sugar cane as from beets. The reason for the difference is one of production costs—only two tons of sugar can be obtained from the root crop while tropical sugar cane will yield as much as seven tons to the acre.

Ducklings Killed by Fish

More than 80,000,000 baby ducks die each year shortly after they have been hatched in their Canadian Aretic home. One of the chief offenders is the pickerel, or jackfish as it is sometimes called. This greedy fish alone accounts for more than 9,000,000 ducklings each year according to game experts who have examined the stomach contents of these fish taken during the nesting period. Man causes untold deaths among young fliers by draining swamps and marshes on which the birds are accustomed to rest and feed during migration flights.

Sparklers

Some people are such natural storehouses of static electricity that they are able to hold a charge until it gets strong enough to flash from their fingers like a miniature lightning stroke. Often the spark is powerful enough to ignite gas coming from the ordinary household jets. We wonder what would happen if these people had an explosive nature!

Hot Stuff!

The sun and other stars are composed of gases so hot that they give off light. Their surface temperatures are so terrifically high that common earth substances like iron and lead exist as gases. The outside temperature of the sun runs up to about 6,000 degrees on the centigrade scale, while the interior parts are very much hotter.

Hotter Stuff!

And if you think that the sun's temperature of 6,000 degrees centigrade is hot, be advised that the sun is one of the cooler stars. Some go as high as 36,000 degrees!

This "N" That

British Columbia is the only part of the British Empire where the medicinal cascara tree is found. The industry was once principally confined to Japanese "strippers" but now the supply is fast dwindling due to faulty methods of bark removal. The British Columbia Government is trying to encourage the farmers in coastal regions to grow the tree on their woodlots to increase the amount available for medicinal purposes—British Columbia druggists say that about 300 tons of dried bark are required annually to meet the market demand but this output cannot be maintained indefinitely unless more scientific ways of stripping the bark are devised . . . Margarine has long been a substitute for butter in Great Britain—now this material is to be enriched with vitamin A concentrates from the livers of the humble and once-despised dogfish . . . British housewives have been getting along with a much smaller sugar ration than is allowed in Canada—the ration in the Old Country is only one-half pound per person per week with no extras like syrups permitted . . . Pigeons from the loft of King George VI at Sandringham, Norfolk, are among the three-quarters of a million carrier pigeons which have been made available to the R.A.F. by the more than 15,000 registered owners of messenger pigeons.

Surveying is believed to have originated in ancient Egypt.

The Stamp Corner

PRESIDENT Roosevelt's day starts at 8 o'clock and he works strenuously until 6:30 or 7 p.m. When he arrives "home" he dons a dark blue bathing suit with maroon monogram, and has a swim in his private pool before dinner. After dinner the President finds relaxation in his study. His favorite hobby is stamp collecting and he usually finds time to file some of the latest additions to his collection.

The President has seldom found time to attend the White House movies since the United States entered the war, but he does try to get in a few minutes every night for the study of current books. His day comes to an end, generally around 11 o'clock, although sometimes when business presses, it is early morning before he retires.

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Commemorating the centenary of the death of Juan Lavalle, Argentine army general, the postal authorities at Buenos Aires released twenty million copies of a stamp bearing his likeness. Lavalle, a newcomer to philately, was a soldier who opposed the rule of the notorious "tyrant of Buenos Aires," Juan Manuel de Rosas. Postmarks for the first-day covers in Argentina will be diamond-shaped instead of round.

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Panama's plan to issue a series of special stamps commemorating the proposed visit by Calderon Guardia, president of Costa Rica, was suspended upon the ousting of Dr. Arnulfo Arias, former president of Panama.

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French India, a colony which cast its lot with General Charles de Gaulle, leader of the Free French forces, is using British stamps on the airmail letters.

British authorities co-operating with the French to carry out government affairs, established a post office at Pondicherry, and Indian stamps are used on airmail letters. Although French India has never had an airmail stamp of its own, a series is expected to be printed in London within a few months.

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New issues: France issued a 1-franc plus 9fr deep green semi-postal for the benefit of children of fathers lost at sea. It pictures a fisherman with a sailing vessel in upper left. Guatemala issued a 2-centavos light green to commemorate the "Second Pan-American Day of Health."

Great Britain and the Dominions Overseas

Politics Are Thrown Overboard to Obtain Best Man on the Job

Essington Lewis, South Australian, Proved Incomparably Best Organizer in Commonwealth—Has Vast Capacity for Work

DETERMINED to expand aeroplane production, the Federal Government has appointed as Director General of Aircraft Production, Mr. Essington Lewis, who was already Director General of Munitions, and he will, with a representative advisory committee have supreme control over Government and private manufacturing establishments.

Australia has only one really big industrial concern—Broken Hill Pty. Co., Ltd.—and for years it has represented capitalism with a big, big C to left wing Labor politicians. When the Menzies Government appointed its chief general manager, Mr. Essington Lewis, to be Director-General of Munitions, criticism from the left began and sniping continued all the while Labor was in Opposition.

One Consideration

But Mr. Curtin, searching for a man to speed up plane production, let one consideration enter his mind—the best man—and politics went overboard. Never before has an Australian outside a Ministry been given such powers and such responsibilities.

Mr. Essington Lewis is a South Australian, aged sixty. He is the son of John Lewis, one of the worthy pioneers of his own State and of the Northern Territory. He is a brilliant production engineer. And he is incomparably the best organizer in Australia.

Essington Lewis was born at The Burra, in South Australia, educated at St. Peter's College, Adelaide, and the South Australian School of Mines. He worked at various jobs at Broken Hill, and at the Mount Lyell copper mines in Tasmania. In 1904 he was foreman of the sulphuric acid and zinc plant at Broken Hill. He went to the smelters at Port Pirit and to Iron Knob, where the Broken Hill Pty. Company quarries iron ore. By 1918 he had become assistant general manager of B.H.P.

Iron and Steel Man

Pre-eminently an iron and steel man, his rise in the company has kept pace with its development as Australia's premier industry to the vast concern which is today the heart of Australian secondary production. In 1921 he became general manager and in 1926 managing director. Since 1938 he has been known as chief general manager.

When the Menzies Government, in the middle of last year, wanted a man who could make Australia an arsenal—develop, extend and multiply the existing Government munition factories, swing over all suitable civil production to war needs and introduce new techniques and processes never practised in Australia before—it chose Essington Lewis as Director-General of Munitions, gave him tremendous powers and virtually a blank cheque, and told him to go ahead.

In years to come, the creation of this department and this appointment may rank as the chief constructive act of the Menzies Government.

Triumphant Success

It was a triumphant success. Australia's munitions effort, despite some faults inevitable in so vast an enterprise, is by all standards a magnificent job—so admirable a job that when Mr. Curtin wanted a man to do for aircraft building what Essington Lewis had done for the making of guns, ammunition, explosives and all the rest, he turned to Mr. Lewis himself.

Essington Lewis is a man whose job is his life. He lives and dreams iron and steel. He has a vast capacity for work. He is ultra-efficient, and he expects that others shall be as efficient in their own jobs as he is in his.

He does not suffer fools gladly. He demands the best brains, and gets them. His tours of great industrial establishments are timed to the minute by careful staff work. He is punctual to the second; he demands the same punctuality in others.

Hates Publicity

He detests personal publicity. He will seldom have his photograph taken by press photographers. He will not, except in the rarest circumstances, be interviewed. Powerfully built, he has a strong jaw and a sort of Churchillian doggedness. Among those who do not know him, he has a reputation for gruffness. Members of his personal staff swear by him.

His tastes are simple. His hobby is work. When he is not working in his office he is working at home. He dislikes public speaking and broadcasting intensely, and agrees to them only occasionally out of a sense of duty.

Like all successful controllers of huge enterprises, he picks the right men and trusts them. He is a good listener. He will listen to anyone who has something sensible to say and will probably make some helpful contribution of his own. He is a masterly conference chairman, with a flair for confining discussion to essentials and crystallizing a satisfactory decision from varying viewpoints.

He Gets Results

He gets results and loyalty because he works harder and better than anybody under his direction. This fact automatically removes the resentment which might be felt by rugged individualists who find themselves brought under his control. They have to acknowledge that the best man is in the job.

As executive head, in peacetime, of a huge capitalist enterprise, he has come to be, for the political Left, a sort of symbol of all that the Left is opposed to. Derisively as such a remark would be received, however, it would probably be correct to say that Essington Lewis has no interest in politics as such; he is interested in iron and steel, and no doubt sees his life work as making more and better iron and steel while other people determine the circumstances under which they shall be made.

Both his sons enlisted in the A.I.F. One is in the Middle East today; the other was withdrawn under the manpower regulations.

FIND TREASURE IN PAPER HUNT

Several Valuable Literary Relics Retrieved From the Waste Basket

OLNEY, Bucks., England (BUP).—A document signed by "John Gilpin" and letters written by Thomas Hardy have turned up in Britain's national waste paper chase.

In the Olney solicitor's office a land deed was signed by "John Gilpin, citizen of London," nearly 250 years ago. William Cowper, the eighteenth century poet, lived at Olney and it is believed that the signer of the deed was the hero of Cowper's poem.

In Dorchester, Dorset, town hall archives were discovered three letters written by Thomas Hardy.

Many other literary relics have been discovered in the paper salvage campaign through which more than 200,000 tons of paper was salvaged.

ALONE HE DID IT

Fifty years ago, Rev. N. R. Louwyck, South Australian Anglican clergyman, now seventy-eight and retired, began to write a book, "Man's Struggles and Stumbles." It developed into two volumes. Acting as his own printer and bookbinder, he has just spent twelve months running off 100 copies of 200 pages each.

"Blitz Buster" Barks for Canadians

Today, With the Forces of Evil Creeping Ever Closer to Canada's Coasts, the Country Is Looking With Increasing Interest to the Modern, Well-Equipped Army Trained in Camps Throughout Canada. Here a Crew of Six Trained Artillerymen Is Shown Firing a Field Gun During an Artillery Demonstration.
—Photo. Public Information

ENDOWMENT PLAN PROVED SUCCESS

When Australia's child endowment scheme was going through, critics said that the money paid to parents would not be used for the purposes intended, but after four months of operation, Free Kindergarten Union workers in Melbourne say that children are better clothed and more and better bedding was in use in homes.

Claims for endowment came from 468,000 families and endowment is being paid in respect of 881,000 out of the 1,349,000 children in the country—£220,000 a week, mainly, financed by a two and a half per cent tax on payrolls.

Four families have thirteen children under sixteen and the mother receives five shillings a week for each child after the first—£3 a week. Twelve families have twelve children, fifty-six have eleven, 216 have ten, 715 have nine, 2,031 have eight, 5,120 have seven, 11,871 have six, 25,273 have five, 55,739 have four, 121,400 have three and more than half the total, 246,000, have two.

One family has eighteen children all told and another fifteen.

Many families did not apply, other parents hesitated because they would have to answer questions which would reveal domestic secrets. This attitude was largely overcome by a pledge of secrecy.

Institutions draw endowment in respect of the children under their care, which neutralizes to some extent the diversion of public eleemosynary contributions to wartime appeals.

LONDON (CP)—Approximately 300 hurricane lamps placed outside air raid shelters as a warning to traffic have been stolen or damaged in little more than a year, the Wellesden borough council reported.

Stockings Feel Full Impact of War in The Women's World

Girls' Overshoes Have to Do More Than Keep Out the Rain—The First to Volunteer—All Lives Are Changed

By GLADYS BAILEY

LONDON (BUP).—A girl's overshoes in London have to do more than keep the rain off her feet these days. In a lot of cases they have to hide stockings full of holes from the public gaze. Stockings in Great Britain are feeling the full impact of the war. Never before have so many darned ladders adorned lovely legs. Never before have the invisible menders been so busy trying to salvage the silken remnants.

It's not that stockings are scarce or of bad quality. There are some quite good hosiery, both fine and service weight. Even the lisle stockings are not too ugly.

But whatever kind they are they take two coupons a pair. And since each girl is rationed to sixty coupons a year, no one can buy many stockings.

Of course, British women work hard making their stockings last. They wash them in good soap flakes, when these aren't too sternly rationed. They rinse them in vinegar often to preserve the silk and they wear little socks inside their shoes to protect their best stockings.

But most of them have discovered that the best solution is to wear no stockings at all—which is cool in Summer but paralizing in Winter for those who aren't streamlined enough to wear slacks.

In spite of their unflattering line, however, many English women have taken to trousers. You see them on the streets, in the trains, in the buses, in offices, and there is none of the sarcastic comment that greeted pants-wearing women in pre-war days. Some women, in fact, manage to look very smart in well-tailored grey suits. But then, so frequently, there appears the woman in slacks, a fur coat and high heels, and she brings everyone's frowns down on slack-wearing.

First to Volunteer

London's first woman to volunteer to leave home at once to work in the Midlands munitions drive was fifty-five-year-old Mrs. Goulden, of Walthamstow. Her husband was killed in the last war and she has five sons serving in this one.

Twelve London boroughs have been asked by the Ministry of Labor to provide several thousand women for vital war jobs in the Midlands. The jobs are not soft jobs, and the women are not compelled to go. Those who volunteer will have to be prepared to sacrifice the comforts of home for the discomforts of billets.

The Government, however, needs these women urgently and the Ministry of Labor is appealing to the rugged women of London's working classes to do the vital work that glamor girls and debutantes would not be capable of doing.

There isn't a woman in England whose life hasn't been changed by the war—housewife, officer worker, chorus girl, society matron, housemaid. All of these have had to adjust themselves completely to new living conditions.

The A.R.P. worker, the woman in the central control room, is a good example. She sits at her station, usually in the town hall of her district, waiting for an air raid warning. When it comes, she must direct the rescue gangs, the decontamination squads, the ambulance and first aid units to where they are needed. So she must know the district thoroughly, every road, shortcut and bypath. She must also be wide-awake, tireless and accurate.

Usually these women are housewives. Every other night, for sixteen hours, they are on duty. The next day, as well as rest, they must catch up with their housework and join the long queue at the grocery stores.

Young girls, clerks, hairdressers, waitresses, who never left home before, who were cared for and assisted by their families are in one of the services, learning self-reliance, discipline and teamwork. Young married women who once spent their time at bridge or golf are in munitions factories or machine shops. Thousands of other women have learned to drive ambulances, fire vehicles, to do brick laying, carpentering. Mothers with grown families have learned war work.

NATIVES IN PAPUA HAPPY TAXPAYERS

Papuan natives are required to pay a small annual head tax—and they enjoy it!

When a resident magistrate goes on tour to collect the tax, pay family, bonuses, check the census, inspect huts and advise chiefs on health matters, he travels in a whaleboat and takes along two canoes with stores and gifts.

At one village, recently, 186 taxable natives marched into the village three abreast, each clad in his cleanest rami and each clutching a pound note and last year's tax receipt. The column circled the courthouse before marching inside to pay. They saluted, said "good morning, Tabaud," and clapped hands when their greeting was returned.

"They got a great thrill out of the ceremony," reported the magistrate. "It brought all the taxpayers together in a jovial mood, and I was not obliged to hunt for defaulters."

The minister in charge of the department suggested Australian taxpayers do the same, but the reply was: "We are not amused!"

BERNE (CP)—Cologne water is still being offered for sale in Germany despite the heavy demand for alcohol for aviation and other war purposes.

Woman Barber Knows Her Men

Melbourne's only female tonsorial practitioner for men in seven years has picked up a few points about men:

Men are just as fussy as women, but are always ready for new ideas in hair styles.

Few men know where to part their hair. Many beautiful curly heads are spoilt by a parting too near the ear, making the face look lopsided.

Men who dislike their curly hair make the mistake of shaving it too close. It should be shaped to the bump of the head.

Most men have dark hair and all fear baldness.

Men's hair is just as beautiful as women's.

Only three men have asked for a permanent wave. I refused them all.

WHITE BREAD IS NOT TO BE HAD

Will Be Missed in British Diet—Sardine Supply Cut Off

LONDON (BUP)—Britons ate a more spartan diet after April 6. After that date no more white bread was manufactured. After April 20 no more white buns, cakes or biscuits will appear on the market and there will be no more filled chocolates. Slab chocolate and chocolate-covered bars are still available.

The aim of the new order is to release manpower and factory space for war industries.

Britons will go short of sardines, too, this Summer. More than 150,000,000 tins of sardines, scheduled for Great Britain have gone to Germany. The Nazis gave the Portuguese 80 shillings per case for almost the entire season's catch. The British had a previous contract giving them the sardines for 30 shillings a case, but the Portuguese traders broke the agreement in favor of the Germans.

WILLING PRISONER TAKEN BY BRITISH

LONDON (BUP).—Commandos, returning from a recent raid on the coast of occupied Europe, brought back a willing prisoner. He was a twenty-two-year-old Dutch mechanic who has been trying to escape to Britain for two years.

After the fall of his homeland, he, with many other Rotterdam workmen, were sent to Dassau to build a power plant. He escaped from the slave work gang and got into the crew of a German ship. He deserted in a neutral port but was picked up by police and sent back to Germany. He was thrown into jail in Bremen, where the prisons were so full that five people were jammed into a cell big enough for only two.

The prisoners were fed on cabbage soup, potatoes and bread with a piece of fat to chew on Sunday. Later he was taken from the prison and put on a German ship. While the ship was getting supplies in port, British bombers raided the harbor and the commandos landed to set fire to buildings. The Dutchman escaped from his ship and joined the raiding party which made him a prisoner. He was identified in England.

Some Cassandras Seen in England Since War Began

Many Prosecutions for Those Who Spread Alarm and Despondency—Correspondent Rebuked for "Dangerous Talk"—Less Fettered Speech Has Done No Harm

By GLANVILLE CAREW

LONDON (BUP).—Ever since the war began, we have of course, had in our midst some, though not over many, Cassandras. In the earlier stages of the conflict anyone who, in public, ventured to express even casually the opinion that there was the remotest possibility that we might lose the war was in danger. His more optimistic hearers who knew no more than he did, and whose opinions, like those of the rest of us, were founded not on knowledge but on the absence of it, were apt to turn and rend him.

There was a quite considerable number of prosecutions of persons charged with spreading "alarm and despondency," or some formula of that sort. Many of these prosecutions were equaled in absurdity only by the utterances of the lay justices who fined the accused persons; stipendiary magistrates seemed to have retained at least some sense of humor.

Ludicrous Attempts

Some of the attempts to suppress ordinary exchanges of views in conversation were ludicrous. For instance: Some time during the first year of the war I went into the bar reserved for the press in the Ministry of Information. While there I joined three quite well-known journalists of my acquaintance. One of them turned to me and said: "This is what we were discussing: What do you think? Suppose the Government were, at this present time, to suggest a negotiated peace, what would happen?"

To which I replied, as I imagine ninety-nine men out of a hundred would have done: "The Government would fall."

They agreed. And then one of them said: "Yes, but suppose the war goes on for another year—what do you think would happen in such circumstances then?"

Having no crystal to gaze into, nor a gift of propnecy, and being conscious of a complete lack of political nous, I replied that I had no idea. Whereupon a bystander of the civil service type not uncommon in that Ministry, and definitely allergic to most Fleet Street men (and in that bar only by courtesy of the press) touched me on the shoulder and remarked in the tone of one who was accustomed to addressing those of inferior intellect—"Do you know that that is most dangerous talk?"

Now, that was said to four press men who were speaking "off the record" and in the privacy of what was equivalent to their own club. We explained this to the listener-in with much clarity of speech but with no excess of politeness.

An Extreme Case

That was, perhaps, an extreme case. But, in varying degree, that sort of thing was a common happening at that time. For a while it became a downright nuisance and often led to the interchange of language likely to cause a breach of the peace. Strangers officiously interrupted other persons in harmless chat in public places to explain how loose talk might endanger public morale and tend to lose the war.

But the times have changed and we seem to have changed with them. Today newspapers are printing things and many public speakers are saying things in which the possibility that in certain given conditions—"complacency" and "inertia" and so forth—we might lose is either implicit or directly stated. We all openly express to each other ideas which if given utterance even a year ago would have endangered perhaps our liberty and certainly our pockets. At the present time it is but rarely that one sees a report of a case in court in that connection.

Anyhow, no harm seems to result. In any case, people will talk (which is a different thing to giving away information if we had any). Therefore it may be that "Whitehall," which is our collective word for all sorts of official departments, may have come to realize that though they may muzzle some of the people all the time and all the people some of the time they cannot muzzle all the people all the time.

Belated Sense

It may be, too, that those who are set in authority over us have belatedly sensed the fact that the man who, merely as a conversational opening, expresses dubiety about our prospects is, deep down, very often quite confident and far less disturbed in fact than is the person who, to keep his courage up, incessantly whistles the tune of: "Of course we shall win. It's inevitable."

Whether the people at large are following the lead of our leaders and some of our newspapers, or whether these are but following the public trend towards less fettered speech, the change has certainly done no harm. And it has become apparent that we are tired of "patriotic" platitudes and mere oratorical claptrap and are coming down to realities and looking them in the face.

Everywhere our public men, from Mr. Churchill downwards, are insisting in Parliament, in print and on the platforms on the absolute and urgent necessity for a tremendous community effort if we are to survive. They are equally insistent that, given that effort, we shall at last, though through much tribulation, pull through to victory.

They are using the plainest of words to warn the public and to describe the extremely ugly shape of the things they expect are to come.

The effect of this new candor about our misfortunes of war, past and probable, has been remarkable and stimulant to a degree.

No Sign of Fear

Looking and listening intently whenever and wherever opportunity has served I have seen (here and there an individual excepted) no sign of fear of what may happen to us before the storm has passed. It may be cynical, or what you will, to speculate in what proportion of cases this is due to cold courage or to our national want of imagination. But it is true. There is anger, and that not directed exclusively against the enemy, but no fear.

Whatever befalls the glory of the Londoner will remain—but vain glory has departed.

AN INNOCENT ABROAD

A young Australian in the mercantile marine had one peaceful sleep during a visit to London.

"They had been dropping a few bombs," he told his family when he got back. "And at 3 a.m. the sirens went again. I looked for a shelter and saw one in the basement of a building. There was not a soul in sight, but it had a nice warm fire burning in the middle of it, so I curled up beside it and went to sleep. It was 10 o'clock before I woke. I went up into the street and all I could see were soldiers with fixed bayonets and policemen—not a civilian in sight.

"A policeman came rushing up to me and started to bustle me away, but I told him I had done nothing wrong. He pointed to a hole in the road and asked me if I had seen it. I told him I had, but it was quite safe, anyway, with the barricades around it. When were they going to fill it in?

"'When we get the time bomb out, sonny,' he said; but I didn't wait to help!"

ARMY ON ITS WAY TO WORK

When the war broke out in the Pacific every person who could possibly aid in the outcome of the war was called to pitch in and help. Here girls of the Australian Women's Army Service are pictured on their way to begin duty as clerks and typists at the Victoria barracks. Khaki armbands with letters A.W.S. were the only insignia, but uniforms will be issued to them later on.

KEEPING VIGIL DOWN UNDER

These anti-aircraft machine guns are set up on what once was the tennis deck of a crack passenger liner. The ship was one of a great convoy that recently reached Australia with American troops and supplies. The gunners stayed right with their weapons during the voyage, for there are no chances taken on surprises in this area.